

## **HOUSE SPECIAL SESSION COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

**February 10, 2010  
1:00 P.M.**

**Hearing Room E**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Sara Gelser, Chair  
Rep. Michael Dembrow, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Sherrie Sprenger, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Chris Harker  
Rep. John Huffman  
Rep. Betty Komp  
Rep. Ron Maurer  
Rep. Arnie Roblan  
Rep. Kim Thatcher  
Rep. Suzanne VanOrman

**STAFF PRESENT:** Dana Richardson, Committee Administrator  
Bonnie Allen, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** HB 3688 – Work Session  
HB 3635 – Public Hearing

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1:26:45 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Gelser

1:26:51 PM **HB 3688 - Work Session**

1:26:59 PM Chair Gelser

1:30:18 PM Rep. Huffman

1:30:37 PM Chair Gelser

1:30:46 PM Rep. Roblan

1:30:51 PM Chair Gelser

1:30:56 PM Rep. VanOrman

1:31:01 PM Chair Gelser

1:31:45 PM Kaaren Heikes, representative, Northwest Center for Education  
Options

1:33:44 PM Chair Gelser

1:33:52 PM Heikes

1:33:57 PM Chair Gelser

1:34:25 PM Heikes

1:35:40 PM Chair Gelser

1:36:02 PM Heikes

1:36:19 PM Rep. Harker

1:36:54 PM Heikes

1:37:31 PM Chair Gelser

1:37:41 PM Heikes

1:37:47 PM Chair Gelser

1:37:49 PM Heikes

1:37:55 PM Rep. Huffman

1:38:28 PM Heikes

1:39:11 PM Rep. Huffman

1:39:25 PM Chair Gelser

1:39:30 PM Rep. Komp

1:39:43 PM Heikes

1:39:46 PM Rep. Komp

1:39:55 PM Rep. VanOrman

1:40:25 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow

1:41:22 PM Heikes

1:41:55 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow

1:42:00 PM Heikes

1:42:12 PM Chair Gelser

1:42:36 PM Heikes

1:42:47 PM Chair Gelser

1:44:33 PM Heikes  
1:44:44 PM Rep. VanOrman  
1:44:46 PM Heikes  
1:44:54 PM Chair Gelser  
1:46:05 PM Heikes  
1:46:18 PM Chair Gelser  
1:46:26 PM Heikes  
1:46:43 PM Rep. Maurer  
1:48:05 PM Chair Gelser  
1:48:30 PM Rep. Roblan  
1:49:21 PM Vice-Chair Sprenger  
1:49:29 PM Rep. Roblan  
1:49:40 PM Chair Gelser  
1:49:51 PM Vice-Chair Sprenger  
1:51:01 PM Chair Gelser  
1:51:23 PM Rosalyn Newhouse, parent, All Prep  
1:53:49 PM Chair Gelser  
1:53:53 PM Newhouse  
1:55:01 PM Connor Williamson, student representative, Village Home  
1:56:51 PM Rodger Williams, citizen, Oregon  
1:57:37 PM Rep. VanOrman  
1:57:52 PM Newhouse  
1:58:28 PM Chair Gelser  
1:58:39 PM Newhouse  
1:58:50 PM Vice-Chair Sprenger  
1:59:05 PM Newhouse  
1:59:29 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow  
2:00:06 PM Newhouse  
2:00:40 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow  
2:00:53 PM Newhouse  
2:01:20 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow  
2:01:32 PM Newhouse  
2:02:02 PM Chair Gelser  
2:02:07 PM Rep. Komp  
2:02:45 PM Newhouse  
2:04:27 PM Chair Gelser  
2:04:38 PM Rep. Komp  
2:05:09 PM Rep. Thatcher  
2:05:17 PM Williams  
2:06:09 PM Rep. Thatcher  
2:06:58 PM Chair Gelser  
2:08:03 PM Morgan Allen, representative, Oregon Department of Education  
2:10:15 PM Chair Gelser  
2:10:27 PM Rep. Thatcher  
2:11:07 PM Chair Gelser

2:12:19 PM Vice-Chair Sprenger  
2:12:36 PM Rep. Roblan  
2:12:46 PM Chair Gelser  
2:13:18 PM Rep. VanOrman  
2:14:18 PM Chair Gelser  
2:14:19 PM {Exhibit} 1: Chair Gelser  
2:14:19 PM {Exhibit} 2: Chair Gelser  
2:14:23 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Dembrow moves the -5 amendments  
2:14:39 PM VOTE: 10-0-0  
2:14:46 PM Ayes: Harker, Huffman, Komp, Maurer, Roblan, Thatcher,  
VanOrman, Sprenger, Dembrow, Gelser  
2:14:50 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Dembrow moves HB 3688 DO PASS as  
AMENDED  
2:15:05 PM Rep. Roblan  
2:15:38 PM Rep. Komp  
2:16:22 PM Chair Gelser  
2:16:23 PM Rep. Thatcher  
2:17:35 PM VOTE: 9-1-0  
2:17:45 PM Ayes: Harker, Huffman, Komp, Maurer, Roblan, VanOrman,  
Sprenger, Dembrow, Gelser; Nays: Thatcher  
2:17:57 PM CARRIER: CHAIR GELSER will lead the discussion on the floor  
  
2:18:14 PM **HB 3635 - Public Hearing**  
2:18:25 PM Chair Gelser  
2:18:40 PM Representative David Edwards, House District 30  
2:18:41 PM {Exhibit} 3: Rep. Edwards  
2:25:00 PM Representative Chris Harker, House District 34  
2:27:42 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow  
2:28:12 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:28:28 PM Rep. Thatcher  
2:28:57 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:30:33 PM Rep. VanOrman  
2:31:37 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:32:01 PM Rep. VanOrman  
2:32:12 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:32:28 PM Rep. Harker  
2:32:43 PM Rep. VanOrman  
2:32:55 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:33:32 PM Rep. Roblan  
2:33:59 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:34:36 PM Rep. Komp  
2:35:30 PM Rep. Edwards  
2:35:40 PM Rep. Komp  
2:35:47 PM Chair Gelser  
2:36:20 PM Dana Hepper, representative, Stand for Children

**2:36:21 PM** {Exhibit} 4: Hepper  
**2:37:45 PM** Ryan Deckert, President, Oregon Business Association  
**2:37:46 PM** {Exhibit} 5: Deckert  
**2:39:32 PM** Jon Bullock, Principal, Redmond High School  
**2:41:54 PM** Michael Bremont, representative, Redmond Proficiency Academy  
**2:44:29 PM** Bullock  
**2:45:17 PM** Vice-Chair Dembrow  
**2:46:16 PM** Bullock  
**2:46:45 PM** Bremont  
**2:48:13 PM** Bullock  
**2:49:04 PM** Vice-Chair Dembrow  
**2:49:54 PM** Bremont  
**2:50:13 PM** Rep. VanOrman  
**2:50:24 PM** Bullock  
**2:50:40 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**2:51:23 PM** Kathy Newman, representative, Hillsboro School District  
**2:55:35 PM** Tricia Smith, representative, Oregon School Employees Association  
**2:59:10 PM** Rob Wagner, representative, American Federation of Teachers, Oregon  
**3:01:32 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**3:01:53 PM** Alicia Hamilton, citizen, Oregon  
**3:01:54 PM** {Exhibit} 6: Hamilton  
**3:03:53 PM** Dena Hellums, representative, Stand for Children  
**3:06:49 PM** Tony Crawford, member, Stand for Children  
**3:06:50 PM** {Exhibit} 7: Crawford  
**3:09:43 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**3:10:08 PM** Crawford  
**3:11:20 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**3:11:41 PM** Margaret Delacey, representative, Oregon Association of Talented and Gifted  
**3:14:25 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**3:14:35 PM** Vice-Chair Dembrow  
**3:15:33 PM** Delacey  
**3:15:34 PM** Vice-Chair Sprenger  
**3:15:40 PM** Delacey  
**3:16:05 PM** The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony  
**3:16:06 PM** {Exhibit} 8: Phil Keisling, former, Oregon Secretary of State  
**3:16:07 PM** {Exhibit} 9: Oregon Education Association, Oregon  
**3:16:08 PM** {Exhibit} 10: James Miner, citizen, Oregon  
**3:16:12 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Vice-Chair Sprenger

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Association, 2 pp  
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