

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS,  
TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

February 07, 2012  
3:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair  
Sen. Jason Atkinson, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Chris Edwards  
Sen. Ginny Burdick  
Sen. Bruce Starr  
Sen. Fred Girod

**STAFF PRESENT:** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** SB 1544 – Work Session  
SB 1543 – Public Hearing  
SB 1545 – Public Hearing  
SJM 201 – Public Hearing

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**Recording Log**

**3:05:37 PM** Meeting Called to Order by Chair Beyer

**3:05:38 PM** Chair Beyer

**3:06:34 PM** **SB 1544-Work Session**

**3:06:35 PM** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ATKINSON MOVES SB 1544

**3:06:47 PM** {Exhibit} 1: Sen. Burdick

**3:06:54 PM** Vice-Chair Atkinson withdraws prior motion

**3:06:58 PM** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ATKINSON MOVES -2 AMENDMENTS

**3:07:01 PM** Chair Beyer

**3:07:10 PM** VOTE: 5-0-1

**3:07:12 PM** AYES: BURDICK, GIROD, STARR, ATKINSON, BEYER

**3:07:13 PM** EXCUSED: EDWARDS

**3:07:16 PM** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ATKINSON MOVES SB 1544 DO PASS AS  
AMENDED

**3:07:19 PM** Chair Beyer

**3:07:27 PM** Sen. Burdick

**3:08:15 PM** Chair Beyer

**3:08:54 PM** VOTE: 6-0-0

**3:08:59 PM** AYES: BURDICK, EDWARDS, GIROD, STARR, ATKINSON, BEYER

**3:09:15 PM** CARRIER: SEN. TELFER AND CHAIR BEYER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION  
ON THE FLOOR

3:09:23 PM Chair Beyer  
3:09:26 PM Vice-Chair Atkinson  
3:09:29 PM Sen. Girod  
3:09:31 PM Chair Beyer  
3:09:34 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:  
3:09:34 PM {Exhibit} 2: Mary Kyle McCurdy, Policy Director, 1000 friends of Oregon  
  
3:09:36 PM **SB 1543-Public Hearing**  
3:09:42 PM {Exhibit} 3-7: Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
3:11:01 PM Chair Beyer  
3:11:37 PM {Exhibit} 8: Kim Duncan, Chair, Oregon Board of Maritime Pilots  
3:18:19 PM Chair Beyer  
3:18:48 PM Duncan  
3:18:59 PM Chair Beyer  
3:19:02 PM Duncan  
3:19:19 PM Chair Beyer  
3:19:24 PM Sen. Edwards  
3:19:41 PM Duncan  
3:20:06 PM Vice-Chair Atkinson  
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3:21:16 PM Duncan  
3:21:23 PM Chair Beyer  
3:21:27 PM Duncan  
3:21:29 PM Chair Beyer  
3:22:08 PM John DiLorenzo, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP  
3:24:25 PM {Exhibit} 9: John Knutson, Knutson Towboat Company  
3:29:18 PM Drew Hagedorn, Greenbrier Companies  
3:30:00 PM Chair Beyer  
3:30:24 PM Jim Geisinger, Executive Vice-President, Associated Oregon Loggers  
3:31:43 PM Chair Beyer  
3:31:47 PM Sen. Starr  
3:32:04 PM Geisinger  
3:32:25 PM Sen. Starr  
3:32:36 PM Geisinger  
3:32:46 PM Chair Beyer  
3:33:08 PM Dave Fiskum, Coos Bay and Yaquina Bay Pilot Association  
3:36:48 PM Steve Woods, State License Pilot, Coos Bay and Yaquina Bay  
3:42:35 PM Chair Beyer  
3:42:45 PM Woods  
3:43:45 PM Chair Beyer

3:43:52 PM Woods  
3:46:44 PM Chair Beyer  
3:47:03 PM Woods  
3:47:09 PM Chair Beyer  
3:47:12 PM {Exhibit} 10: Charles Yates, Pilot, Coos Bay and Yaquina Bay  
3:55:35 PM Chair Beyer  
3:55:45 PM Yates  
3:56:27 PM Chair Beyer  
3:56:40 PM Yates  
3:56:54 PM Sen. Starr  
3:57:26 PM Yates  
3:58:09 PM Sen. Starr  
3:58:16 PM Yates  
3:58:46 PM Chair Beyer  
3:58:51 PM Marvin Caldera, President, International Longshore and Warehouse Union  
Local 12  
4:00:50 PM Fiskum  
4:00:58 PM Sen. Girod  
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4:09:14 PM Fiskum  
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4:14:49 PM Vice-Chair Atkinson  
4:16:11 PM Caldera  
4:17:16 PM Fiskum  
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4:17:50 PM **SB 1545-Public Hearing**  
4:18:14 PM Sen. Alan Olson, District 20  
4:19:08 PM Sen. Edwards  
4:19:17 PM Sen. Olson  
4:19:22 PM Chair Beyer  
4:19:23 PM Sen. Burdick  
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4:19:40 PM **SB 1543-Public Hearing**  
4:19:51 PM Chair Beyer  
4:20:24 PM Dale Sause, Chairman of the Board, The American Waterways Operators  
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4:31:19 PM Chair Beyer  
4:32:27 PM {Exhibit} 11: Bob Russell, Vice President, Government Affairs, Oregon  
Trucking Associations  
4:41:25 PM Craig Campbell, AAA Oregon  
4:42:51 PM John Rakowitz, Associated General Contractors  
4:44:02 PM Chair Beyer  
4:44:03 PM Sen. Edwards  
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**4:47:10 PM SJM 201-Public Hearing**

**4:47:20 PM** Roger Hyquist, Linn County Board of Commissioners  
**4:48:17 PM** {Exhibit} 12-13: Sam Brentano, Commissioner, Marion County  
**4:49:28 PM** Patti Milne, Commissioner, Marion County  
**4:49:58 PM** Sen. Girod  
**4:50:11 PM** Chair Beyer  
**4:50:12 PM** Vice-Chair Atkinson  
**4:50:31 PM** Chair Beyer  
**4:50:56 PM** {Exhibit} 14: Christina Hubbard, Project Director, Forest Web of Cottage Grove  
**4:55:14 PM** {Exhibit} 15: Mora Dewey, resident, Lane County  
**5:00:17 PM** Hubbard  
**5:00:23 PM** Sen. Burdick  
**5:00:33 PM** Chair Beyer

**5:01:07 PM SB 1545-Public Hearing**

**5:01:18 PM** {Exhibit} 16: Bob Russell, Vice-President, Government Affairs, Oregon Trucking Associations  
**5:02:39 PM** Alex Crider, Truck Owner and Operator  
**5:04:01 PM** Allen Peterson, Truck Owner and Operator  
**5:05:45 PM** Chair Beyer  
**5:05:49 PM** Peterson  
**5:06:15 PM** Sen. Burdick  
**5:06:27 PM** Chair Beyer  
**5:06:31 PM** Russell  
**5:06:56 PM** {Exhibit} 17: Lynn Lehrbach, Joint Council of Teamsters No. 37  
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**5:11:26 PM** Lehrbach  
**5:11:57 PM** Chair Beyer  
**5:11:28 PM** The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:  
**5:11:29 PM** {Exhibit} 18: Genice Rabe, Legislative Counsel, Northwest Workers' Justice Project  
**5:12:30 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Chair Beyer

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**Exhibit Summary**

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**4:32:27 PM** {Exhibit} 11: SB 1543, informational packet, Bob Russell, 13 pp  
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**4:48:17 PM** {Exhibit} 13: SJM 201, written testimony, Sam Brentano, 1 p  
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