

# **HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

February 15, 2013  
8:00 am

Hearing Room D

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Michael Dembrow, Chair  
Rep. Chris Harker, Vice Chair  
Rep. John Huffman, Vice Chair  
Rep. Joe Gallegos  
Rep. Vic Gilliam  
Rep. Chris Gorsek  
Rep. Mitch Greenlick  
Rep. Mark Johnson  
Rep. Gene Whisnant

**STAFF PRESENT:** Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator  
Cassandra Kornacki, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** Informational Meeting  
Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the  
University System  
HB 2787 – Work Session  
Introduction of Committee Measure – Work Session  
HB 2152 – Public Hearing

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## **Recording Log**

**8:03:08 AM** Meeting Called to Order by Chair Dembrow

**8:03:53 AM** **Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the University System – Informational Meeting**

**8:03:54 AM** Chair Dembrow

**8:04:27 AM** Melody Rose, Vice Chancellor, Academic Strategies, Oregon University System

**8:14:35 AM** Chair Dembrow

**8:14:36 AM** {Exhibit} 1-4: Jay Kenton, Vice Chancellor, Finance and Administration, Oregon University System

**8:22:52 AM** Chair Dembrow

**8:23:20 AM** Matt Donegan, President, State Board of Higher Education

**8:30:06 AM** Chair Dembrow

**8:30:08 AM** Vice-Chair Huffman

**8:31:38 AM** Kenton

**8:33:04 AM** Chair Dembrow

**8:33:06 AM** Rep. Greenlick

**8:33:12 AM** Chair Dembrow

8:33:16 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:34:12 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:34:54 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:34:56 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:34:57 AM Rep. Gilliam  
8:35:19 AM Kenton  
8:36:32 AM Rep. Gilliam  
8:36:34 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:36:34 AM Rep. Gilliam  
8:36:46 AM Kenton  
8:36:46 AM Rep. Gilliam  
8:36:50 AM Kenton  
8:36:54 AM Rep. Gilliam  
8:36:57 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:37:03 AM Rep. Whisnant  
8:37:43 AM Rose  
8:37:51 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:37:57 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:38:26 AM Kenton  
8:39:34 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:39:39 AM Kenton  
8:39:46 AM Chair Dembrow  
  
8:40:15 AM **HB 2787 – Work Session**  
8:40:25 AM {Exhibit} 5: Chair Dembrow  
8:43:12 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:44:43 AM {Exhibit} 6-7: Chair Dembrow  
8:45:10 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:45:11 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:45:12 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:47:16 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:49:57 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:50:01 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:50:05 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:50:59 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:51:00 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:51:01 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:51:05 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:51:11 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:51:16 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:51:17 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:51:20 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:51:33 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:51:37 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
8:51:38 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:51:39 AM Vice-Chair Harker

8:51:48 AM Rep. Whisnant  
8:51:50 AM Vice-Chair Harker  
8:51:55 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
8:51:56 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:51:57 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
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8:53:52 AM Chair Dembrow  
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8:53:54 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:53:55 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
8:54:18 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:54:20 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:55:22 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:55:24 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:55:26 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:55:27 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:55:58 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:56:09 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:56:14 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:56:21 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:56:28 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:56:29 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:56:32 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:56:40 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:56:41 AM Rep. Greenlick  
8:56:45 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
8:57:22 AM Chair Dembrow  
8:58:14 AM Rep. Johnson  
8:59:45 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:00:12 AM Rep. Whisnant  
9:00:15 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:01:04 AM Rep. Whisnant  
9:02:07 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:02:55 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
9:02:55 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:02:56 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
9:03:26 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:03:27 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:03:27 AM Vice-Chair Huffman  
9:03:30 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:03:33 AM Rep. Gilliam  
9:04:26 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:04:34 AM Rep. Johnson  
9:05:43 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:06:14 AM Rep. Gilliam

9:06:15 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:06:27 AM Recording Paused  
9:12:50 AM Recording Resumed  
9:12:53 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:13:05 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HUFFMAN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -6  
AMENDMENTS  
9:13:09 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:13:38 AM Rep. Gallegos  
9:13:44 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:13:54 AM Rep. Gallegos  
9:14:00 AM VOTE: 4-5-0  
9:14:01 AM AYES: GILLIAM, JOHNSON, WHISNANT, HUFFMAN  
9:14:02 AM NAY: GALLEGOS, GORSEK, GREENLICK, HARKER, DEMBROW  
9:14:27 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:14:39 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HARKER MOVES TO ADOPT THE -10  
AMENDMENTS  
9:14:42 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:14:55 AM VOTE: 7-2-0  
9:14:55 AM AYES: GALLEGOS, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, HARKER,  
HUFFMAN, DEMBROW  
9:14:56 AM NAY: GILLIAM, WHISNANT  
9:15:18 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:16:21 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:16:21 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:16:26 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:16:43 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:16:48 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:16:49 AM Chair Dembrow  
  
9:17:13 AM **Introduction of Committee Measure – Work Session**  
9:17:14 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:17:45 AM {Exhibit} 8: MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HARKER MOVES LC 3591 BE  
INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE BILL  
9:17:59 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:18:12 AM Rep. Gilliam  
9:18:20 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:18:35 AM VOTE: 9-0-0  
9:18:35 AM AYES: GALLEGOS, GILLIAM, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON,  
WHISNANT, HARKER, HUFFMAN, DEMBROW  
  
9:18:47 AM **HB 2152-Public Hearing**  
9:18:48 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:19:14 AM Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator  
9:19:25 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:22:56 AM {Exhibit} 9: David Rives, President, American Federation of Teachers-  
Oregon

9:29:57 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:29:59 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:30:22 AM Rives  
9:30:42 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:31:22 AM Rives  
9:31:27 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:31:31 AM Rives  
9:31:33 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:31:44 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:31:45 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:31:58 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:31:59 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:32:03 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:32:07 AM Rives  
9:32:14 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:32:15 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:32:23 AM Rep. Gorsek  
9:32:49 AM Rives  
9:32:50 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:32:57 AM Dr. James Salt, President, OAA Community College Council, Instructor,  
Lane Community College  
9:37:34 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:38:01 AM Vice-Chair Harker  
9:38:06 AM {Exhibit} 10: Patricia A. Schecter, Legislative Committee Chair, American  
Association of University Professors and Professor, Portland State  
University  
9:39:07 AM Rep. Greenlick  
9:39:10 AM Schecter  
9:43:39 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:43:41 AM Rep. Gallegos  
9:44:29 AM Schecter  
9:45:58 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:46:04 AM Salt  
9:46:37 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:47:15 AM John Wycoff, Government Relations Director, Oregon Community College  
Association  
9:52:05 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:52:12 AM Wycoff  
9:52:57 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:53:03 AM Connie Green, President, Tillamook Bay Community College  
9:56:34 AM Chair Dembrow  
9:57:05 AM {Exhibit} 11-13: Robert Fullmer, steward, Portland State University  
Bargaining Delegate, SEIU  
10:02:42 AM Chair Dembrow  
10:02:46 AM Emma Kallaway, Legislative Director, Oregon Student Association  
10:03:57 AM Jay Kenton, Vice Chancellor, Finance and Administration, Oregon

University System  
**10:06:30 AM** Chair Dembrow  
**10:07:11 AM** Rep. Johnson  
**10:07:25 AM** Chair Dembrow  
**10:07:53 AM** Meeting Adjourned by Chair Dembrow

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### Exhibit Summary

- 8:14:36 AM** {Exhibit} 1: Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the University System, PowerPoint presentation, *Higher Education Costs: A Brief Summary*, Jay Kenton, 4 pp
- 8:39:46 AM** {Exhibit} 2: Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the University System, report, "2013 Legislative Issue Brief: Supporting Students and Oregon's Education and Economic Needs", Jay Kenton, 2 pp
- 8:39:46 AM** {Exhibit} 3: Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the University System, chart, "Collaborating for Student Success and Innovation Across the Education Continuum", Jay Kenton, 1 p
- 8:39:46 AM** {Exhibit} 4: Overview of the State Board of Higher Education and the University System, report, "The Benefits of a Coordinated, Statewide Higher Education Approach in Oregon", Jay Kenton, 2 pp
- 8:40:25 AM** {Exhibit} 5: HB 2787, -6 amendment, staff, 2 pp
- 8:44:43 AM** {Exhibit} 6: HB 2787, -9 amendment, staff, 2 pp
- 8:44:43 AM** {Exhibit} 7: HB 2787, -10 amendment, staff, 2 pp
- 9:17:45 AM** {Exhibit} 8: Introduction of Committee Measure, LC 3591, staff, 3 pp
- 9:22:56 AM** {Exhibit} 9: HB 2152, written testimony, David Rives, 2 pp
- 9:38:06 AM** {Exhibit} 10: HB 2152, written testimony, Patricia Schechter, 2 pp
- 9:57:05 AM** {Exhibit} 11: HB 2152, written testimony, Rob Fullmer, 3 pp
- 9:57:05 AM** {Exhibit} 12: HB 2152, written information, Rob Fullmer, 1 p
- 9:57:05 AM** {Exhibit} 13: HB 2152, written information, Rob Fullmer, 2 pp