

JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON OREGON-CHINA SISTER STATE

November 18, 2015
12:00 PM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Peter Courtney, Co-Chair Rep. Tina Kotek, Co-Chair
Sen. Chris Edwards Rep. Duane Stark
Sen. Bill Hansell Rep. Jennifer Williamson
Greg Borossay
Shiau Yen Chin-Dennis
Katy Coba
Billy Dalto (via telephone)
Carolyn S. Hill
Jin Lan, Executive Director
Bobby Lee
Qin Ma
Stephen Ying

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Meiru Liu
Xin Liu
Sandra McDonough

STAFF PRESENT: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
Patsy Wood, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: Organizational Meeting
Introduction of committee members
Adoption of committee rules
Informational Meeting
Report of Governor Kate Brown's trip mission to China
Report of 2015 Legislative trade mission to China
Remarks from Ren Faqiang, Chinese Deputy Consul General to San Francisco
Discussion of suggestions for promoting Oregon trade in China

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00:00:46 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:47 Co-Chair Kotek

00:01:00 [Introduction of committee members - Organizational Meeting](#)
00:01:11 Co-Chair Kotek

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00:01:37 Co-Chair Courtney
00:01:49 Sen. Hansell
00:02:10 Shiau Yen Chin-Dennis
00:02:29 Qin Ma
00:02:43 Katy Coba
00:03:03 Jin Lan
00:03:26 Rep. Stark
00:03:33 Rep. Williamson
00:03:48 Greg Borossay
00:04:18 Carolyn Hill
00:04:48 Stephen Ying
00:05:01 Bobby Lee
00:05:19 Billy Dalto
00:05:49 Sen. Edwards

00:06:36 **Adoption of Committee Rules - Organizational Meeting**
00:06:39 EXHIBIT 1: Co-Chair Kotek
00:06:47 MOTION: CO-CHAIR COURTNEY MOVES ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE
RULES
VOTE: 15-0-3
AYES: SEN. COURTNEY, EDWARDS AND HANSELL; REP. KOTEK,
STARK AND WILLIAMSON; BOROSSAY, CHIN-DENNIS, COBA,
DALTO, HILL, LAN, LEE, MA, YING
EXCUSED: M.LIU, X.LIU, McDONOUGH

00:07:23 **Report of Governor Kate Brown's trip mission to China -
Informational Meeting**
00:07:24 Co-Chair Kotek
00:07:40 Vince Porter, Jobs and Economy Policy Advisor, Governor's Office
00:11:38 James Mei, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP
00:12:42 Carolyn Hill
00:13:04 Sen. Hansell
00:14:52 Rep. Stark
00:15:25 Jin Lan

00:16:15 **Report of 2015 Legislative trade mission to China - Informational
Meeting**
00:16:16 Co-Chair Kotek
00:16:28 Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5
00:28:05 Sen. Hansell
00:28:22 Rep. Stark
00:30:45 Jin Lan
00:33:40 Stephen Ying
00:34:16 Greg Borossay

00:35:03 **Remarks from Ren Faqiang, Chinese Deputy Consul General to San Francisco - Informational Meeting**

00:35:09 Co-Chair Kotek

00:35:18 Ren Faqiang, Chinese Deputy Consul General to San Francisco

00:51:34 Stephen Ying

00:53:59 **Discussion of suggestions for promoting Oregon trade in China - Informational Meeting**

00:54:00 Co-Chair Kotek

00:54:18 Carolyn Hill

01:01:23 Ren Faqiang, Deputy Consul General to San Francisco

01:03:15 Stephen Ying

01:03:50 Katy Coba

01:06:19 Shiau Yen Chin-Dennis

01:07:13 James Mei, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

01:08:49 Ocean Yuan, CEO, Grape Solar

01:13:43 Steven Fang, CEO, Greenco, International, Inc.

01:27:54 Meeting Adjourned