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DECEMBER 3

Natural Resources Subcommittee on Stream Restoration and Species
Recovery - Joint 8:30 A.M. HR 357

Transportation - House 9:00 A.M. TBA

DECEMBER 4

Bio-diesel - House 1:00 P.M. HR 350

Judiciary - Joint 8:30 A.M. 357

Legislative Audit Committee - Joint 8:30 A.M. 174

Senior and Disabled Services - House 9:00 A.M. HR E

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Health and Human Resources - Joint 9:00 A.M. HR 357

DECEMBER 10

Natural Resources Subcommittee on Columbia River Gorge Commission
Review - Joint 8:30 A.M. 343

Natural Resources - Joint 8:30 A.M. HR 343

DECEMBER 11

PERS Sustainability and Accountability - House 9:00 A.M. 357

DECEMBER 12

Revenue Options, School Funding and Accountability - Joint 2:00 P.M. Hillsboro

Revenue Options, School Funding and Accountability - Joint 7:00 P.M. Portland

DECEMBER 16

General Government - House 9:00 A.M. HR 343

DECEMBER 20

Revenue Options, School Funding and Accountability - Joint 1:00 P.M. Eugene

JANUARY 8

Legislative Committee on Information Management and Technology - Joint 8:30 A.M. HR F

JANUARY 9

Emergency Board Subcommittee on Education - Joint 8:30 A.M. H 170

Emergency Board Subcommittee on General Government - Joint 8:30 A.M. H 174

Emergency Board Subcommittee on Human Services - Joint 8:30 A.M. HR F

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Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1621

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EMERGENCY BOARD
Office: H-178 Phone: 503-986-1828

Date: Friday January 10, 2003
Time: 8:30 A.M.
Room: HR F

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EMERGENCY BOARD SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Date: Thursday January 9, 2003
Time: 8:30 A.M.
Room: H 170

EMERGENCY BOARD SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Date: Thursday January 9, 2003
Time: 8:30 A.M.
Room: H 174

EMERGENCY BOARD SUBCOMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Date: Thursday January 9, 2003
Time: 8:30 A.M.
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FUJIAN PROVINCE SISTER STATE
Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1681

Meets at the Call of the Chair

HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES
Office: 354 Phone: 503-986-1485

Date: Monday December 9, 2002
Time: 9:00 A.M.
Room: HR 357

Agenda to be announced later.

JUDICIARY

Office: 354 Phone: 503-986-1750

Date: Wednesday December 4, 2002

Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: 357

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

Report on the Vienna Convention

Mexican Consulate - Martha Ortiz De Rosas

Pete Shepherd, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice

9:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Bill Introduction - Oregon District Attorneys Association

Brad Berry, Yamhill Co. District Attorney & Legislative

Liaison for ODAA

9:30 - 10:15 a.m.

Bill Introduction & Reduction Plan Report - Oregon Judicial Department

Chief Justice Wallace P. Carson, Jr.

Kingsley Click, State Court Administrator

Bill Introduction - Public Defense Services Commission

Barnes H. Ellis, Chair

10:15 - 10:45 a.m.

Bill Introduction - Oregon State Bar

Charles Williamson, 2003 Oregon State Bar President

William Carter, 2003 Oregon State Bar President-Elect

10:45 - 11:30 a.m.

Bill Introduction, Work Group Reports & End of Interim Summary - Joint Interim Judiciary Committee

Bill Taylor & Craig Prins

Report on Computer Crime pursuant to SB 921

Craig Prins

11:30 - 11:45 a.m.

Bill Introduction - Oregon Law Commission

Dean David R. Kenagy, Executive Director

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m. LUNCH

1:00 - 1:45 p.m.

Follow-up on Gap in Treating the Mentally Ill

Barry Kast, Assistant Director for Health Services, Dept. of Human Services (DHS)

Jean Thorne, Interim Administrator, DHS, Office of Medical Assistance Programs

1:45 - 2:15 p.m.

Report from Dept. of Corrections on Children of Incarcerated Parents - SB 133 (2001)

Ben de Haan, Director, Department of Corrections

Claudia Black, Director of Public Affairs, Department of Corrections

2:15 - 2:35 p.m.

JOINT COMMITTEE AGENDAS

Community Dispute Resolution Centers (CDRC) Funding
Strategy Report - per budget note on HB 5012 (2001)

Mike Niemeyer, Community Dispute Resolution

Coordinator

2:35 - 2:55 p.m.

Law Enforcement Contacts Policy & Data Review Commission
Report

Phil Lemman, Executive Director, Oregon Criminal
Justice Commission

2:55 - 3:15 p.m.

Report on Construction Contractors Board (CCB) & DOJ
partnership relative to the prosecution of construction-related
fraud

Sydney Brewster, Chair, Construction Contractors
Board

Craig Smith, Administrator, Construction Contractors
Board

Cheryl Pellegrini, Attorney in Charge, Financial Fraud
Section, DOJ

LEADERSHIP COMMISSION ON HEALTH CARE COSTS AND TRENDS

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Meets at the Call of the Chair

LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

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LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE

Office: H-178 Phone: 503-986-1828

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Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: 174

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LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

Office: H-178 Phone: 503-986-1828

Date: Wednesday January 8, 2003

Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: HR F

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NATURAL RESOURCES

Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1688

Date: Tuesday December 10, 2002

Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: HR 343

Agenda to be announced.

information call committee staff at 503-986-1688.

NATURAL RESOURCES SUBCOMMITTEE ON COLUMBIA RIVER GORGE COMMISSION REVIEW

Date: Tuesday December 10, 2002

Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: 343

Agenda to be Announced

NATURAL RESOURCES SUBCOMMITTEE ON STREAM RESTORATION AND SPECIES RECOVERY

Date: Tuesday December 3, 2002

Time: 8:30 A.M.

Room: HR 357

Agenda to be announced.

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Meets at the Call of the Chair

OREGON LAW COMMISSION

Office: Phone: 503-370-6973

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MENTAL HEALTH PARITY
Office: 354 Phone: 503-986-1485

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**REVENUE OPTIONS, SCHOOL FUNDING AND
ACCOUNTABILITY**
Office: H-197 Phone: 503-986-1266

Date: Thursday December 12, 2002
Time: 2:00 P.M.
Room: Hillsboro

Informational Meeting
Agenda to be announced

Date: Thursday December 12, 2002
Time: 7:00 P.M.
Room: Portland

Informational Meeting
Agenda to be announced

Date: Friday December 20, 2002
Time: 1:00 P.M.
Room: Eugene

Informational Meeting
Agenda to be announced

SALMON RECOVERY
Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1286

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TIRE RECYCLING
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BUDGET

Office: H-197 Phone: 503-986-1266

Date: Thursday December 12, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: TBA

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GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Office: 347 Phone: 503-986-1755

Meets at the Call of the Chair

RULES AND EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS

Office: 453B Phone: 503-986-1627

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**LIBRARY COOPERATION SUBCOMMITTEE ON
LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT**

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**LIBRARY COOPERATION SUBCOMMITTEE ON SOLUTION
IDENTIFICATION**

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STATE-OWNED VEHICLE EFFICIENCY

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BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

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EDUCATION

Office: 347 Phone: 503-986-1635

Meets at the Call of the Chair.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1627

Date: Monday December 16, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: HR 343

Agenda to be announced.

REVENUE

Office: H-197 Phone: 503-986-1266

Date: Monday December 2, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: HR A

9:00 Possible Bill Introduction for Pre-Session Filing

9:30 December Revenue Forecast

10:30 Break

10:45 Local School Revenue Forecast

11:15 Implementation of Measure 20

Proposed Cigarette Tax Administration Legislation

11:45 Small Woodland Owners Taxation

12:30 Adjourn

TRANSPORTATION

Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1674

Date: Tuesday December 3, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: TBA

Informational Meeting

9:00 a.m. Uninsured Driver Report - DMV

9:15 a.m. Household Goods Carrier Task Force Report (HB 2817)

9:45 a.m. Truck Chassis Safety on Port Containers - Teamsters

10:15 a.m. Manufactured Structure Titling Work Group Report and Discussion

10:45 a.m. Bridge Rehabilitation - Status, Options

Work Session

11:30 a.m. Introduction of Committee Measures

12:15 p.m. Lunch Break

Informational Meeting

1:30 p.m. Innovative Finance Advisory Committee (SB 966) - Status Report

2:00 p.m. Federal Funding Authorization - Status Report

2:30 p.m. Adjourn

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BIO-DIESEL

Office: 453D Phone: 503-986-1675

Date: Wednesday December 4, 2002

Time: 1:00 P.M.

Room: HR 350

Work Session

AGENDA TO BE ANNOUNCED

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES REORGANIZATION OVERSIGHT

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JOBS AND THE ECONOMY

Office: 453 Phone: 503-986-1681

Meets at the Call of the Chair

PERS SUSTAINABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Office: 453B Phone: 503-986-1627

Date: Wednesday December 11, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: 357

Agenda to be announced.

SENIOR AND DISABLED SERVICES

Office: 354 Phone: 503-986-1485

Date: Wednesday December 4, 2002

Time: 9:00 A.M.

Room: HR E

Agenda to be announced at a later date.

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**HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON
TRANSPORTATION**

October 18, 2002

By: Patrick Brennan, Committee Services

The House Interim Transportation Committee held its sixth meeting in Hillsboro.

Local Transportation Perspectives

Tom Brian, Washington County Commissioner, discussed transportation issues for Washington County. He spoke of his appreciation for the Oregon Transportation Investment Act (OTIA) and said that more needs to be done to increase revenues for transportation. He related the success the county has had with infrastructure development to accommodate growth. Commissioner Brian also commented on the role that demand reduction and public education might play in reducing traffic volumes.

Richard Kidd, Forest Grove Mayor, provided a city-level perspective and commented on the role of local transportation plans. He expressed the belief that the Portland area's transportation network compares favorably to other metropolitan areas because of superior planning. He related the importance of farm-to-market and workplace-to-job routes. Mayor Kidd also spoke about the importance of encouraging walking and biking.

Oregon Railroad System

The committee received an overview of the Rail Division of the Oregon Department of Transportation from its manager, Claudia Howells. Ms. Howells described efforts to maintain and expand the current rail network and its importance in distributing manufacturing and agricultural commodities. In terms of passenger rail, there is interest in enhancing excursion service, while the biggest hurdle to north-south rail service is at the federal level with Amtrak. The committee discussed short line railroads with her and inquired whether there is interest in creating true high-speed rail service, such as that which exists in Europe.

Everett Cutter, Oregon Railroad Association, Larry Phipps, Oregon Shortline Railroad Association, and Wayne Geisy, Hull-Oakes Lumber, provided an industry perspective on the state of rail in Oregon. Mr. Geisy emphasized that short lines are particularly important, as the loss of just one line could mean as many as 800 additional trucks on Oregon roads.

Commissioner Tom Brian reviewed plans for a proposed 15-mile commuter rail line from Wilsonville to Beaverton. He indicated that the project is currently in the design phase, and that when finished it would be integrated into the TriMet transportation network. He expressed appreciation for the state bond authorization from the 2001 session.

Freight Mobility

Tom Zelenka, Schnitzer Steel, reported on the activities of the Oregon Freight Advisory Committee and its outreach, policy,

and projects subcommittees. Current delays in freight mobility are estimated to cost Oregon businesses as much as \$26 million in lost productivity. Gregg DalPonte, ODOT, described truck transponder technology that gives pre-clearance to participating trucks so that they can bypass weigh stations, through the state's Green Light program.

Keith Leavitt, Port of Portland, provided perspective on the effects of the recent longshore worker lockout at all Pacific coast ports and its potential short- and long-term effects on freight mobility. He noted that while the economic impact during the lockout was estimated at \$1-2 billion per day, the real impact will be felt as ports struggle to work through the backlog.

Hillsboro Airport – Status and Improvements

John Newell, Port of Portland, offered a slide presentation detailing Hillsboro Airport's scope of operations. The Hillsboro airport serves a complementary role to Portland International Airport (PDX), contributing 350 jobs and millions of dollars to the local economy. The airport is working toward self-sufficiency, though it currently receives assistance from PDX. Mr. Newell reported that recent federal mandates regarding airport security must also be accounted for.

Road User Fee Task Force

Jim Whitty, ODOT, presented an overview of the Road User Fee Task Force (RUFTF), whose purpose is to develop alternative methods of financing road maintenance and construction. Increased fuel efficiency of vehicles during the past 25 years has lowered the revenues generated by gas taxes per road mile traveled, and the potential for more efficient hybrid cars threatens to accelerate that trend. Options available include toll roads and bridges, a mileage-based fee system, or some other sort of fee-based system. Mr. Whitty acknowledged that many of the available options are complicated by technology requirements and concerns about privacy and equity.

Tire Recycling Task Force

Timm Schimke, Chair of the Tire Recycling Task Force, presented the task force's final report. Oregon managed its scrap tires in the past by processing them into marketable materials, but has become a net importer of scrap tires. Recycled tires are used primarily as fuel, as aggregate replacement in roads, and as landfill. The task force concluded that landfill should be an option of last resort. Recommendations of the Tire Recycling Task Force include: creating agency positions to advocate for using scrap tires; setting recovery goals; implementing an oversight program under a tire recycling board; creating a tire recovery group; encouraging the tire industry to commit to market development; and encouraging applied research and improved information gathering and analysis.

Janet Matthews, Metro, and Mark Hope, Tire Disposal and Recycling, Inc., discussed Oregon's tire recycling industry and explained that decisions by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) curbed enthusiasm for developing recycling efforts. He indicated that systems can be created to generate

energy through burning rubber, but that doing so in an environmentally sound manner is not economically competitive.

State Transit Programs

Roger Martin and Jeff Hamm, Oregon Transit Association (OTA) presented an overview of local transportation providers and a history of funding for transit. Mr. Martin asserted that the time has come for the legislature to closely examine capital funding for public transit. Mr. Hamm indicated that ridership has increased significantly in some areas, placing a strain on the system. He discussed the state role in transit and emphasized the service that public transit can provide during emergencies, such as the shutdown of PDX during the east coast terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

Martin Loring, ODOT, reviewed public transit services provided throughout the state, including those outside the Portland metropolitan area. Such services vary greatly, depending primarily on the size of the population. Mr. Loring said that the biggest challenge is meeting the transportation needs of Oregon's aging population.

Public Hearing

Doug Riggs, PacWest Communications, applauded the efforts of the Tire Recycling Task Force.

HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

October 25, 2002

Jan McComb, Committee Services

ESD Service Evaluation

Nancy Heiligman and Brian Reeder, Oregon Department of Education (ODE), reviewed their findings regarding ESD and school district services. The study, required by SB 260 (2001), directed ODE to create a catalogue of services, their cost, and areas of deficiencies. Their findings include the following:

- Equity in school district funding has been undermined by inequities in ESD funding. This should be corrected as the new ESD funding formula is fully phased-in.
- Student weights in the school funding should be re-examined in light of new data detailing actual costs. True funding equity only exists if the weights are accurate.
- Service deficiencies exist in nearly all school districts, as indicated by low percentages of students meeting standards on state tests.
- Service deficiencies are likely to continue as long as K-12 education is underfunded.

Small School Costs

Nancy Heiligman and Brian Reeder, ODE, also discussed their findings on the cost of operating small schools and small school districts, as directed by SB 519 (2001). Among their findings

were the following:

- School size has a dramatic effect on per-student costs for Oregon high schools, with costs per student rising rapidly as sizes fall below about 300 students. For high schools, school size and district size is highly correlated, so it is difficult to discern their independent effects.
- School size has a dramatic effect on per-student costs for elementary schools, with costs rising rapidly at sizes below about 100 students.
- Oregon's small school correction does a fairly good job of compensating for the higher operating costs of small high schools, but for small elementary schools it appears to give relatively more resources to small schools than cost function estimates indicate is warranted.
- For elementary schools overcompensated by the small school correction, some of that compensation might be considered payment for higher transportation costs faced by those districts due to remoteness.

No Child Left Behind

Kate Dickson, ODE, reviewed the new requirements of the recently enacted federal No Child Left Behind Act. She stated that Oregon is well positioned to meet those new requirements, as it already has standards, assessments, and report cards in place. The Act directs ODE to assist low-performing districts, something ODE was doing until recent budget cuts were made in this area. Asst. Superintendent Dickson noted that if Oregon fails to comply with the federal law, it puts in jeopardy \$400 million (biennium) in federal funds. The Act affects all schools and all districts and poses challenges.

One provision of the law requires all teachers and paraprofessionals be "qualified." That requirement went into effect in January for new district employees; existing employees have until 2005-06 to become "qualified". For teachers, this means they need to be licensed and meet standards for subject knowledge and teaching skills. Paraprofessionals must complete at least two years of post-secondary study, earn an associate's degree, or be able to demonstrate, through assessment, the knowledge and ability to assist in teaching reading, writing, and math. These new requirements are especially challenging for small rural districts or in teacher shortage subject areas.

Another area of concern will be the federal definition of "adequate yearly progress (AYP)." Rules have not yet been adopted by the federal government, so the true impact of AYP for Oregon schools is unknown. Oregon report cards do not disaggregate test score data, as required under the law, but because federal rules have not been written, the score schools receive in January from the ODE on their report cards will likely be different than the score calculated for the federal government.

Quality Education Commission Report

Ken Thrasher, Chair, Quality Education Commission (QEC), presented this year's report. He noted that there is a growing gap between current funding levels and those identified by the QEC for a quality education. He attributed this gap to rising costs due to growing ESL and special education populations, accumulated capital needs, health care costs, and PERS costs. With lower than recommended funding levels, fewer students will meet state standards than would otherwise be expected. Under the No Child Left Behind Act, he stated that 100 percent of students are to meet state standards by 2014; the Quality Education Model is based on the less optimistic 90 percent level. Among the commission's recommendations: the costs of ESD services be included in the prototypes; the high school prototype be revised to reflect latest research on best practices; maintain the focus on early reading programs; add resources to the model to support the rapid increase of English Language Learners; establish a line item in the state budget to pay for the highest cost special education student programs; and replace the current target funding amount of \$4,500 per student in ORS 327.013 with the amount per student needed to implement the best practices identified in the model.

Special Education Task Force Report

Rep. Elaine Hopson, Chair, and Carolyn Ortman, Vice-Chair, Special Education Task Force, presented their findings and recommendations to the committee. The task force divided its work into four main areas: Instruction and Service Delivery; Performance Standards, Expectations, and Accountability; Qualified Personnel; and Funding and Fiscal Accountability. The task force worked under several guiding principles: schools serve all students; all students should be educated with the general education population to the maximum extent appropriate; every student has a right to an education that meets her needs; parents play an essential role in education decisions; funding policies should not create incentives or disincentives for identifying students for special education; costs of education students with high needs should not create adverse impacts on the education of other children. Among the task force's recommendations were the following:

- Schools should operate in accordance with a student-centered service model
- Expand the Quality Education Model to include special education services
- Train parents and teachers in individualized education plan (IEP) facilitation and dispute resolution
- Disseminate information to parents about their rights and dispute resolution processes
- Student and school performance should be measured over time and this information should be made available
- ODE should more actively promote mediation and other early alternative dispute resolution processes

- Use mentoring programs to assist and support beginning special education teachers
- Increase opportunities for collaboration between special education teachers and general education teachers
- Develop appropriate qualification standards for special education paraprofessionals
- Use data from the ODE Special Education Case-load Study to make appropriate decisions regarding special education staffing
- Develop a two-tiered funding distribution formula with a percentage cap for students who need high-cost services
- Develop a risk pool management structure to protect districts from the impact of a student disproportionately costly needs

Education Mandates

John Marshall, Oregon School Boards Association, and Chuck Bennett, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators, testified on the subject of statutory education mandates. Mr. Marshall noted that the Oregon Constitution requires a "uniform" education and that mandates help accomplish this uniformity. Operational mandates – accounting requirements, reporting requirements- are desirable. The question usually arises in regard to education program mandates. He stated that most of these types of decisions are better left to the local school districts, though cost was the primary concern. The transportation mandate means that 30 percent of transportation costs must be pulled from a district's general fund. Perhaps the gas tax could be used to fund this mandate. In regards to special education students, schools end up paying for "related services" that are often medical in nature, and perhaps the Department of Human Resources was the more appropriate entity to pay for wheelchairs and other health-related costs. The Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) is a big cost and needs to be addressed. In collective bargaining, contracts are moving into areas of class size and whether teachers may be moved to other schools, leaving districts with less flexibility. Mandates from cities and counties for school constructions—road widening, traffic light installation—also add costs. Chuck Bennett added that savings in eliminating the Certificate of Initial Mastery (CIM) and Certificate of Advanced Mastery (CAM) programs was speculative at best, and Oregon's current system positions Oregon well to meet new federal requirements. They closed by stating that cost analyses of proposed mandates should be completed before they are enacted.

The Dalles Issues Committee

Members of The Dalles Issues Committee testified before the committee on their frustrations in dealing with their superintendent and school district on such topics as block scheduling, special education, and the Talented and Gifted program. The board allowed them to form an "issues committee" and they studied the various problem areas and made recommendations. The

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committee voiced frustration that their recommendations were not implemented.

Those testifying—Brenda Jenkins, Kathy McBride, Lori Stiles, Chere Jones, and Don Knowland— suggested more state intervention in local school districts, such as greater monitoring by the ODE or forming a “watchdog” committee. Mr. Knowland remarked that school board members were often inexperienced and unknowledgeable, yet were entrusted with making decisions that had great impact on students and parents.

English Language Learners

Merced Flores, ODE, testified on efforts to close the achievement gap between English Language Learners (ELL) and the general student population. He indicated that there are over 66,000 ELL students in Oregon, including more than 29,000 migrant students, and that those numbers continue to rise. Local-level programs and efforts have resulted in a reduction in ELL dropout rates during the past few years. State-level efforts to assist ELL students include efforts to recruit trainers to help prepare educators, workshops offered throughout the state, ELL specialists hired by ODE, and a handbook still under development. Mr. Flores also indicated that Oregon is eligible to receive federal funds for ELL through the No Child Left Behind program, and said that Oregon educators are among the most knowledgeable anywhere when it comes to English Language Learners.

JOINT SUBCOMMITTEE ON STREAM RESTORATION AND SPECIES RECOVERY **November 5, 2002**

By: Patricia Nielsen, Committee Staff

Lindsay Ball, ODFW Director, presented a background review of the Native Fish Conservation Policy. He discussed issues brought forward during the formulation of the policy and how they are being addressed. ODFW Fish Division Administrator Ed Bowles presented an overview of the policy along with a slide show. He pointed out areas of contention and discussed changes to the policy since his last appearance before the committee. He commented on the role of the Citizen Advisory Committee and discussed the implementation plan for the policy. Mr. Bowles took questions from the committee regarding the interaction of the policy with the federal and Oregon Endangered Species Acts.

Mr. Bowles also discussed the draft Hatchery Policy, being prepared in the context of the native fish policy. He commented on predation of hatchery fish, wild fish sanctuaries, and stray rates of hatchery and wild fish. He described the need for a research hatchery for fishery management, and discussed the differing goals of harvest hatcheries and conservation hatcheries.

Bill Moshofsky, representing the Save the Salmon Coalition, testified and raised concerns over the native fish policy. He discussed comments submitted by scientists. Mr. Wayne Giesy, representing timber industries, also testified and raised industry

concerns over the policy.

Roy Elicker, Deputy Director of ODFW, and David Weslie, US Fish and Wildlife Service, presented an overview and background of the Caspian Tern population in Oregon. They discussed predation by terns on salmonid smolts, and described attempts to move a tern colony from one island to another near the mouth of the Columbia River to reduce predation. Mr. Weslie described a lawsuit to enjoin the action and continuing settlement negotiations in that case.

Tracy Bosun HSP Director of the Healthy Streams Partnership (HSP), introduced a report and executive summary by the Partnership. Mr. Tom Byler from the Governor’s office presented a slide show on technical assistance available from the HSP. Mr. Byler also discussed recommendations included in the HSP report. The panel took questions regarding the need for technical assistance in the stream restoration process.

Mike Llewelyn, DEQ Water Quality Division Administrator, presented a progress report on Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs). He discussed guidance by the Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds (Oregon Plan) and a consent decree with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for putting TMDLs in place.

Geoff Huntington, Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) Director, presented an overview of the OWEB information system goal. Janine Salwasser of OWEB described how OWEB will create a useful system for providing information regarding decision-making.

Division of State Lands Director John Lilly appeared and testified on proposed rule-making to require easements for water lines which cross DSL-managed submerged and submersible lands. He discussed exceptions being considered for existing water rights.

During the public hearing segment, Glen Stonebrink from the Oregon Cattlemen’s Association testified in opposition to the elimination of the Range Department at Oregon State University (OSU). He was joined by Jean Underhill Wilkinson from the Oregon Farm Bureau. In the same segment, Dennis Richey of Oregon Anglers testified and raised concern over the ODFW wild fish policy and hatchery management policy. Finally, Mr. Stephen Burton of Dune City testified in opposition to requirements for water line easements across state-owned lands.

JOINT NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE **November 6, 2002**

By: Patricia Nielsen, Committee Staff

John Beaulieu, Director of the Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, appeared to report under SB 12 (1999). The bill required an assessment of protection of the public from landslide hazards. He presented a slide show and described the processing of mapping and evaluating areas in Oregon which

are prone to rapidly-moving landslides. The Director discussed the goal of identifying areas for further review and interaction with local governments. The committee discussed the conflict between the science of identifying landslides and policy goals of whether and how to mitigate the hazards identified.

During invited testimony, Art Schlack, Association of Oregon Counties, described issues discussed when SB 12 was being considered. Michael Snider, Josephine County, discussed the effects on private ownership of land designated for further review. He asked for better maps more closely related to the local geography, and pointed out liability issues connected to the mitigation process. Linda Ludwig, representing the League of Oregon Cities, pointed out concerns of cities identified during the process. Keith Mills from the Department of Forestry (ODF) presented an overview of ODF proposed rules on rapidly-moving landslides, and the interaction with DOGAMI in the mapping project.

Sen. Ferrioli summarized and distributed the draft recommendations of the Columbia River Gorge subcommittee, which will be presented to the full committee in December.

During the public hearing segment, Glen Stonebrink from the Oregon Cattlemen's Association testified in opposition to the elimination of the Range Department at Oregon State University (OSU). He was joined by Jean Underhill Wilkinson from the Oregon Farm Bureau. The committee discussed the budget process and the University's options for budget adjustments.

Tom Paul from the Water Resources Department (WRD) presented a report from the SB 710 (2001) work group on trading of water rights. Pete Test discussed issues leading up to the enactment of SB 710, including reduced water availability for irrigation due to increasing municipal water users. Rick Glick of Davis Wright Tremain law firm presented the work group recommendations.

Oregon State Marine Board Director Paul Donheffner appeared to discuss Oregon's marine law enforcement program. He presented an overview of the agency's report, including patrol coverage of water bodies in Oregon and along the Pacific Coast.

Mike Graine and Ken Niles from the Oregon Department of Energy presented a report on the cleanup activities at Hanford Nuclear Reservation in Washington State. The discussion included descriptions of storage areas and security measures surrounding the holding of nuclear waste materials. Mr. Graine described efforts to attain greater participation for Oregon in the decision making process regarding Hanford.

Committee Administrator Judith Callens presented an update on the decommissioning of chemical weapons at the Umatilla Chemical Weapons Depot. The committee discussed the emergency management plan and the threat posed by the storage of the material.

JOINT HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

November 12, 2002

By Rick Berkobien, Committee Services

Report from Oregon Dental Association workgroup on ownership

Rickland G. Asai, DMD, Chairman of ODA Dental Ownership Work Group, gave an overview of the workgroup that met during the interim to discuss clarification of who can own a dental practice and other items that various members of the workgroup agree and disagree on. Primarily, there was disagreement on allowing non-dentists to hold minority interests in dental practices. R. Mike Shirtcliff, DMD, Northwest Dental Service, described his and other practices that may depend on capital funding from outside sources to maintain competitive services. Additionally, corporations that have minority ownership of practice can receive up to a 20 percent federal tax break.

Increasing costs and barriers to liability insurance for adult foster homes

Grover Simmons, representing adult foster homes, testified that adult foster homes (AFH) in Oregon are having increasing difficulty in securing liability insurance for their homes, which has been the similar experience of nursing homes and other long-term care facilities. Additionally, he reported that companies are refusing to renew policies with AFHs that serve people with any type of mental health problem or homes which serve a gender mix of residents. Gary Lane, AFH provider, testified that his liability insurance went from \$842 per year in 1995, to \$8,000 to currently renew it. Harry Geistlinger, AFH provider, testified that his liability insurance has risen nearly 1,000 percent over the past few years and that other insurance, like auto and property, is also increasing to the point where he and others may not be able to stay in business.

Report from Task Force on Financing Quality Child Care

Rep. Laurie Monnes-Anderson, provided a short introduction to the importance of affordable and quality child care for Oregon families. Kitty Piercy, Chair of Oregon Commission on Child Care, testified on the history of the bill that enabled the task force, the impact of good quality child care on the proper development of children, and the current lack of good child care quality indicators in Oregon. Craig Campbell, Chair of the Commission on Children and Families, went over report recommendations including the importance of involving the Employment Department and other agencies into the discussion and importance of quality child care. Bobbie Weber, Oregon State University, discussed recommendations for properly funding quality child care and the benefits that better child care could have for the state.

Report from Department of Administrative Services on automated external defibrillators

David Hartwig, Oregon Department of Administrative Service Risk Management Division, reviewed a report from HB 3338

(2001 Regular Session) on placing automate external defibrillators (AEDs) into state buildings. He noted the higher survival rate of people who had access to AEDs when having a heart attack and the recommendations from the report of ensuring that higher occupancy state buildings contain AEDs. There was discussion about costs of AEDs and the fact that many rural state agency buildings would not technically qualify for AEDs if only very high occupancy state buildings received AEDs.

Improving outcomes for children whose parents are involved in the criminal justice system

Ben de Haan, Department of Corrections, gave an overview of a project for children of parents in the prison system in which parents are given training to increase and improve parenting skills throughout their incarceration. There are approximately 15,000 kids in Oregon with at least one parent in prison, and these kids are at risk of getting into trouble with the law as they get older. Claudia Black, Department of Corrections, described how prison parenting groups meet regularly, types of training they receive, and generally good feedback and results they are getting from the program.

Update on Oregon Health Plan2

Jean Thorne, Department of Human Services, described recent changes to the revamped Oregon Health Plan as a result of recent Emergency Board decisions including the removal of mental health/chemical dependency treatment, dental services and vision services from the OHP Standard package of benefits. Implementation dates for some of the new OHP programs will also be revised.

Anticipated budget cuts in the Department of Human Services

George Dunford, Department of Human Services, noted that decisions from the most recent Emergency Board meeting will require that DHS find another \$18.5 million in cuts should the January 28 tax increase measure fail. He then described each of the anticipated cuts that DHS will have to make to services both from the Emergency Board decisions and possibly in February of 2003.

Impact of Department of Human Services cuts on health care system

Jeff Heatherington and Ruby Haughton, representing OHP contractors, testified that the OHP delivery system is not prepared to sign contracts to serve OHP clients under the revamped program due to uncertainties about the adequacies of the new rates and that co-pays, that will be part of the new program, are going to be administratively burdensome for medical providers in collecting. Gina Firman, representing county mental health agencies, testified that cuts to mental health benefits under the OHP will result in many people not receiving services, and that some counties may end up filing a lawsuit against the state for cutting these services.

HOUSE SPECIAL TASK FORCE ON JOBS AND THE ECONOMY

November 13, 2002

By: Patricia Nielsen, Committee Staff

Jim Craven of the American Electronics Association (AEA), discussed the high technology industry in Oregon. He described the main influences on the high-tech industry including education, the economic climate, energy, electronic commerce, broadband and the internet, and the environment. Mr. Craven took questions from the committee about how best to continue to develop and maintain the industry, and how to spread the development into rural areas.

Diana Daggett of Intel Corporation discussed Intel company activities in Oregon, especially in the Washington County area. She recommended investment in research and development for the high-tech industry.

Matt Chapman, Centrisoft Corporation, presented a discussion on impediments to economic development of the high-tech industry. He pointed out that there is limited venture capital in Oregon for high-tech enterprises, and that the education system must turn out a qualified work force and support families of high-tech workers. Mr. Chapman suggested incentives to bring more venture capital into the state.

Scott Gibson appeared on behalf of the Oregon Council on Knowledge and Economic Development (OCKED). He discussed activities of the council, and presented recommendations for supporting the high-tech industry, especially recruiting venture capital into the state and special tax treatment for entrepreneurial investors.

Lesley Hallick, Provost of OHSU, presented an overview of OHSU activities and the creation of jobs resulting from research done at the University. She presented slides which followed the development of OHSU facilities. She discussed the master development plan, including the river campus and tram project. She stressed the importance of capitalizing on the discoveries made at the university, and starting companies to commercialize those discoveries.

Ann Bunnenburg of Electrical Geodesics discussed the bio-sciences industry currently present in Oregon. She commented on the need for capitalization of the industry. Ms. Bunnenburg discussed the motivation of companies to locate near universities, in order to have access to research scientists and their discoveries. She described the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant program which invests federal funding in research companies.

Dan Dorsa from OHSU presented a discussion on developing bio-medical research related to the Oregon Opportunity program. In response to member questions, Mr. Dorsa discussed the dedication of resources to rural health issues, the development of intellectual property, and the need to translate research

and development projects into affordable medical care for Oregonians.

In the afternoon segment, Mike Greenfield, Department of Administrative Services (DAS) Director, presented a report on regulatory streamlining. He discussed the recommendations of the Regulatory Streamlining Task Force, appointed to obtain feedback from business leaders on how regulatory practices impact economic viability. The task force's complete report is available through the DAS Director's office.

Art James, Manager of Business Development at the Oregon Economic and Community Development Department (OECDD), presented a report on business recruitment. He discussed how regional development officers are used in local areas. He presented a sample economic development project through its various stages. Mr. James stressed the value of local development groups working on projects with the OECDD regional development officers. Mr. Michael Ogan, from the Portland Development Commission, explained the role of his agency in development projects.

The Committee held a work session to discuss proposed legislative concepts. The committee voted to approve the following drafts for pre-session filing:

- LC 1006 – Sale and delivery of cider to Oregon residents
- LC 1125 – Enterprise zones
- LC 1127 – Increase OECDD flexibility with community agreements
- LC 1128 – Increase accountability of state and local business incentive packages
- LC 1130 – Create special statewide planning authority for high-tech lands, similar to current authority for forestry and agricultural lands
- LC 1131 – Modify duties and membership of the Joint Committee on Trade and Economic Development (Joint T&E)
- LC 1185 – Business finance decision processing time
- LC 1186 – Expand tax exemption for Small City Business Development program

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