

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 10, 2021  
03:15 PM

Hearing Room Remote B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair  
Sen. Chuck Thomsen, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Sara Gelser  
Sen. Chris Gorsek  
Sen. Art Robinson

**STAFF PRESENT:** Matt Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
Maia Daniel, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 227 – Public Hearing  
SB 232 – Public Hearing  
SB 52 – Work Session  
SB 53 – Work Session

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

00:00:36 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:37 Chair Dembrow  
00:01:23 ROLL CALL  
  
00:02:28 **SB 227 - Public Hearing**  
00:02:29 Chair Dembrow  
00:02:32 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:04:11 Jessica Ventura, Director, Government Relations, Oregon Department of Education  
00:13:53 Daniel Ramirez, Interim Executive Director, Educator Advancement Council  
00:23:13 Marvin Lynn, President, Oregon Association for Colleges of Teacher Education (OACTE); Dean, College of Education, Portland State University  
00:24:22 Helen Ying, resident, Multnomah County; board member, Multnomah Education Service District Board; board member, Chinese American Citizens Alliance - Portland Lodge; appointed representative, Commission of Asian and Pacific Islander Affairs, Ethnic Studies Group, Oregon Department of Education

**00:27:14** Elona J Wilson, Advocacy Director, Coalition of Communities of Color (CCC)

**00:31:36** Lanea Olson, Asian Youth Organizer, Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon

**00:34:23** Anthony Castaneda, Policy Manger, Latino Network

**00:37:57** **SB 232 - Public Hearing**

**00:37:59** Chair Dembrow

**00:38:20** Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

**00:40:44** Daniel Ramirez, Interim Executive Director, Educator Advancement Council

**00:46:13** Anthony Rosilez, Executive Director, Oregon Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

**01:03:43** Marvin Lynn, President, Oregon Association for Colleges of Teacher Education (OACTE); Dean, College of Education, Portland State University

**01:13:10** Sen. Gorsek

**01:18:13** Dave McDonald, Associate Vice President for Public Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, Western Oregon University

**01:22:00** Bob Estabrook, Government Relations Specialist, Oregon School Employees Association

**01:31:28** Vice-Chair Thomsen

**01:31:33** **SB 52 - Work Session**

**01:31:34** Chair Dembrow

**01:31:58** Vice-Chair Thomsen

**01:32:14** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS

**01:32:48** Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

**01:34:37** VOTE: 4-1-0  
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, THOMSEN, DEMBROW  
NAY: ROBINSON

**01:35:39** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 52 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**01:36:25** VOTE: 4-1-0  
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, THOMSEN, DEMBROW  
NAY: ROBINSON

**01:37:09** **SB 53 - Work Session**

**01:37:10** Chair Dembrow

**01:37:13** Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

**01:37:55** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS

**01:38:32** Sen. Gelser

**01:39:39** Jessica Ventura, Director, Government Relations, Oregon Department of Education  
**01:45:03** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN RESCINDS THE MOTION  
**01:47:27** Meeting Adjourned