

SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

March 24, 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 478 – Work Session
SB 487 – Work Session
SB 843 – Work Session
SCR 1 – Public Hearing
SB 804 – Public Hearing
SB 513 – Work Session
SB 782 – Public Hearing

This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only

00:00:43 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:44 Chair Dembrow
00:00:45 ROLL CALL

00:01:34 **SB 478 - Work Session**
00:01:35 Chair Dembrow
00:01:50 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:02:12 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
00:02:35 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
00:03:02 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVED SB 478 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS
00:03:55 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW

00:04:53 **SB 487 - Work Session**
00:04:54 Chair Dembrow
00:05:04 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:05:38 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
00:05:55 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
00:06:17 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVED SB 487 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS
00:06:50 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW

00:08:17 **SB 843 - Work Session**
00:08:18 Chair Dembrow
00:08:37 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 843 DO PASS
00:09:04 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
CARRIER: SEN. GELSER
00:09:30 Sen. Gelser

00:10:18 **SCR 1 - Public Hearing**
00:10:19 Chair Dembrow
00:10:28 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:10:48 Sen. Rob Wagner, Senate District 19
00:13:03 Ruth Cohen, parent of Sarah Cohen-Doherty, Lake Oswego
00:14:43 Gerald Cohen, parent of Sarah Cohen-Doherty, Lake Oswego
00:17:44 Sen. Gelser

00:19:04 **SB 804 - Public Hearing**
00:19:05 Chair Dembrow
00:19:21 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:19:49 Sen. Art Robinson, Senate District 2
00:29:02 Vice-Chair Thomsen
00:29:20 Sen. Gelser
00:37:52 Eric Henderson, resident, Grants Pass, Josephine County, and Three
Rivers School District

00:40:54 **SB 513 - Work Session**
00:40:55 Chair Dembrow
00:41:08 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT -1
AMENDMENTS
00:41:43 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:41:57 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW

00:42:30 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 513 DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:42:54 Sen. Gorsek

00:44:11 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
CARRIER: SEN. GIROD

00:44:47 **SB 782 - Public Hearing**

00:44:48 Chair Dembrow

00:45:02 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

00:45:41 Sen. Deb Patterson, Senate District 10

00:48:29 Daniel Hadi, student, Mountainside High School; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon

00:50:56 Sam Adamson, student, Sherwood High School; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon

00:52:50 Kelly Park, high school senior, Portland; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon; volunteer, YouthLine

00:56:24 Finn Jacobson, student, Rex Putnam High School; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon; volunteer, YouthLine

00:58:29 Leina McLaughlin, student, Sherwood High School; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon

01:01:09 Gabi Cohen, sophomore, Sunset High School; member, Students for a Healthy Oregon

01:03:29 Robin Henderson, PsyD; Chief Executive, Behavioral Health, Providence Health & Services - Oregon; Chief Clinical Officer, Work2BeWell

01:08:19 Sen. Gorsek

01:09:38 Sophia Sivers, high school senior; volunteer, YouthLine

01:14:03 Meeting Adjourned