

SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

May 12, 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: HB 2136 – Work Session
HB 2536 – Work Session
HB 2954 – Public Hearing
HB 2969 A – Public Hearing
HB 3234 A – Public Hearing
HB 3183 A – Public Hearing

This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only

00:00:21 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:22 Chair Dembrow
00:00:37 ROLL CALL

00:01:39 [HB 2136 - Work Session](#)
00:01:40 Chair Dembrow
00:01:53 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:02:41 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES HB 2136 DO PASS
00:03:02 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
CARRIER: SEN. DEMBROW

00:03:27 [HB 2536 - Work Session](#)
00:03:28 Chair Dembrow
00:03:37 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:04:21 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES HB 2536 DO PASS

00:04:48 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: GELSER, GORSEK, ROBINSON, THOMSEN, DEMBROW
CARRIER: SEN. ROBINSON

00:06:00 **HB 2954 - Public Hearing**
00:06:01 Chair Dembrow
00:06:21 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:07:37 Rep. Susan McLain, House District 29
00:10:08 Sen. Robinson
00:12:28 Tonia Gebhart, Chief Operations Officer, Metro East Web Academy; board officer, Oregon Digital Leaders Coalition
00:15:57 Iris Maria Chavez, Oregon Coalition of Community Charter Schools

00:19:26 **HB 2969 A - Public Hearing**
00:19:27 Chair Dembrow
00:20:04 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:20:42 Vice-Chair Thomsen
00:21:10 Rep. Cedric Hayden, House District 7
00:25:00 Rep. Rob Nosse, House District 42
00:28:35 Tom Holt, Heathy Teeth Bright Futures Coalition

00:31:24 **HB 3234 A - Public Hearing**
00:31:25 Vice-Chair Thomsen
00:31:36 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:32:09 Jack Lehman, Communications Director, Office of Rep. Dan Rayfield, House District 16
00:34:48 Nisha Sridhar, graduate student, University of Oregon

00:40:19 **HB 3183 A - Public Hearing**
00:40:20 Vice-Chair Thomsen
00:40:29 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst
00:41:14 Rep. Tawna Sanchez, House District 43
00:42:50 Chad Ludwig, Oregon Association of the Deaf (via interpreters)
00:48:39 Chair Dembrow
00:50:11 Meeting Adjourned