

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH AND RECOVERY**

March 16, 2021  
03:15 PM

Hearing Room Remote B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Sara Gelser, Chair  
Sen. Dick Anderson, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Kate Lieber  
Sen. Art Robinson  
Sen. Kathleen Taylor

**STAFF PRESENT:** C. Ross, Counsel  
Terry Fletcher, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 703 – Public Hearing

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

00:00:32 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:33 Chair Gelser  
00:01:07 ROLL CALL

00:01:50 **SB 703 - Public Hearing**  
00:01:51 Chair Gelser  
00:02:09 C. Ross, Counsel  
00:03:14 Melissa Unger, Executive Director, SEIU Local 503  
00:18:18 Sen. Deb Patterson, Senate District 10  
00:22:28 Vice-Chair Anderson  
00:28:48 Kyndall Mason, Political and Policy Strategist, SIEU Local 503  
00:36:17 Sen. Taylor  
00:39:32 Sen. Lieber  
00:41:36 Phil Bentley, Oregon Health Care Association  
00:57:45 Hermes Ochoa, resident, Springfield  
00:59:46 Summer Trosko, resident, Eugene  
01:02:31 Fred Steele, State Long Term Care Ombudsman and Agency Director,  
Office of the Long Term Care Ombudsman  
01:35:55 Meeting Adjourned