

SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND BUSINESS

February 14, 2023
08:00 AM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Chair
Sen. Daniel Bonham, Vice-Chair
Sen. Bill Hansell
Sen. Kayse Jama
Sen. Deb Patterson

STAFF PRESENT: Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
Isabel Hernandez, Sr. Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 128 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 224 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 842 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 159 – Public Hearing
SB 592 – Public Hearing
Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session

00:00:18 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:19 Chair Taylor

00:01:00 [SB 128 - Public Hearing](#)

00:01:01 Chair Taylor

00:01:24 Heather Case, Senior Policy Advisor, Oregon Public Employees
Retirement System (PERS)

00:01:38 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst

00:02:19 [SB 128 - Work Session](#)

00:02:20 Chair Taylor

00:02:21 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES SB 128 DO PASS

00:02:35 Vice-Chair Bonham

00:03:33 VOTE: 5-0-0 (See timestamp 01:28:00)

AYE: HANSELL, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

EXCUSED: JAMA

CARRIER: SEN. GORSEK

00:04:48 [SB 224 - Public Hearing](#)

00:04:49 Chair Taylor

00:04:56 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst

00:06:26 Sen. Hansell

00:07:06 **SB 224 - Work Session**
00:07:07 Chair Taylor
00:07:11 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
00:07:35 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYE: HANSELL, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR
EXCUSED: JAMA
00:07:46 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES SB 224 DO PASS AS
AMENDED
00:07:52 VOTE: 5-0-0 (See timestamp 01:28:52)
AYE: HANSELL, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR
EXCUSED: JAMA
CARRIER: SEN. HANSELL

00:08:30 **SB 842 - Public Hearing**
00:08:31 Chair Taylor
00:08:55 Sen. David Brock Smith, Senate District 1

00:09:40 **SB 842 - Work Session**
00:09:41 Chair Taylor
00:09:57 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst

00:12:05 **SB 159 - Public Hearing**
00:12:06 Chair Taylor
00:12:11 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:13:07 Sen. Chris Gorsek, Senate District 25
00:14:55 Sen. Hansell
00:16:29 James White, Executive Director, Nonprofit Association of Oregon
00:24:52 Vice-Chair Bonham
00:27:28 Sen. Patterson
00:30:40 Sen. Jama
00:34:41 Derek Sangston, Policy Director and Counsel, Oregon Business &
Industry

00:38:09 **SB 592 - Public Hearing**
00:38:10 Chair Taylor
00:38:16 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:42:18 Catie Theisen, Oregon American Federation of Labor and Congress of
Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)
00:55:39 Maria Vargas, former employee and injured worker (via interpreter)
01:01:18 Ira Cuello Martinez, Policy and Advocacy Director, Pineros y Campesinos
Unidos del Noroeste (PCUN)
01:05:02 Kim Harman, staff, Oregon American Federation of State, County and
Municipal Employees (AFSCME)

01:08:39 Kirsten Adams, Public Affairs Director, Associated General Contractors (AGC)

01:11:18 Doug Buman, resident, West Linn; employee, Laborers' Health & Safety Fund, Laborers' International Union of N. America (LIUNA)

01:15:06 Anastasia Christman, Senior Policy Analyst, National Employment Law Project

01:17:55 Derek Sangston, Policy Director and Counsel, Oregon Business & Industry

01:19:39 Kate Suisman, Attorney, NorthWest Justice Project (NWJP)

01:21:20 Anthony Smith, Oregon State Director, National Federation of Independence Businesses (NFIB)

01:24:12 Renee Stapleton, Administrator, Oregon Occupational Safety and Health Division (Oregon OSHA)

01:24:21 Teresa Van Winkle, Legislative Director, Department of Consumer and Business Services

01:27:35 **SB 128 - Work Session**

01:27:36 Chair Taylor

01:28:00 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW SEN. JAMA TO VOTE AYE ON SB 128

01:28:17 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

01:28:47 **SB 224 - Work Session**

01:28:48 Chair Taylor

01:28:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW SEN. JAMA TO VOTE AYE ON SB 224

01:29:08 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

01:29:50 **Introduction of Committee Measures - Work Session**

01:29:51 Chair Taylor

01:30:04 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES LC 4028 AND LC 4030 BE INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE MEASURES

01:30:26 Vice-Chair Bonham

01:32:41 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

01:32:58 Meeting Adjourned