

SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND BUSINESS

April 4, 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
Terry Fletcher, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 907 – Work Session
SB 1048 – Work Session
SB 631 – Public Hearing
HB 2673 A – Public Hearing
SB 593 – Public Hearing and Work Session
HB 2620 – Public Hearing
SB 999 – Public Hearing and Work Session
HB 2864 – Public Hearing
HB 3331 – Public Hearing

00:00:20 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:21 Chair Taylor

00:01:23 [SB 907 - Work Session](#)

00:01:24 Chair Taylor

00:01:32 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst

00:02:19 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES TO ADOPT THE -6
AMENDMENTS

00:02:34 Sen. Patterson

00:02:48 Sen. Hansell

00:04:00 Jenny Dresler, Oregon Farm Bureau Federation

00:05:20 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

00:05:29 MOTION: VICE-BONHAM MOVES SB 907 DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:05:42 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

CARRIER: SEN. PATTERSON

00:05:54 **SB 1048 - Work Session**
00:05:55 Chair Taylor
00:06:05 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:06:48 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
00:07:05 Sen. Patterson
00:07:36 Lindsay Baker, Assistant Director, Oregon Department of Transportation
00:09:02 Sen. Hansell
00:09:17 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR
00:09:18 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES SB 1048 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE
00:09:36 Sen. Hansell
00:10:17 Vice-Chair Bonham
00:10:30 VOTE: 4-1-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, TAYLOR
NAY: BONHAM

00:11:00 **SB 631 - Public Hearing**
00:11:01 Chair Taylor
00:11:13 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:11:39 Joe Baessler, Oregon American Federation of State, County, and
Municipal Employees (AFSCME)
00:13:53 Vice-Chair Bonham
00:16:19 Sen. Patterson

00:16:57 **HB 2573 A - Public Hearing**
00:16:58 Chair Taylor
00:17:38 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:18:16 Rep. Dacia Grayber, House District 28
00:20:46 Sen. Patterson
00:21:57 Sen. Michael Dembrow, Senate District 23
00:24:59 Joe Baessler, Oregon American Federation of State, County, and
Municipal Employees (AFSCME)

00:27:55 **SB 593 - Public Hearing**
00:27:56 Chair Taylor
00:28:10 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst

00:28:43 **SB 593 - Work Session**
00:28:44 Chair Taylor
00:28:45 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES SB 593 WITHOUT
RECOMMENDATION AND BE REFERRED TO THE SENATE
COMMITTEE ON RULES

00:29:24 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

00:30:48 **HB 2620 - Public Hearing**
00:30:49 Chair Taylor
00:30:53 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:31:40 Robert Unger, Chief of Staff, Office of Rep. Paul Holvey, House District 8
00:33:57 Sen. Hansell
00:35:11 Kate Denison, Deputy Legislative Director, Oregon Department of Justice
00:38:42 Sen. Jama
00:39:36 Chris Coughlin, Policy Director, Oregon Consumer Justice

00:40:59 **SB 999 - Public Hearing**
00:41:00 Chair Taylor
00:41:06 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
00:44:58 Sen. Hansell
00:49:03 Angela Wilhelms, President and Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Business and Industry
00:54:57 Courtney Veronneau, Senior Political Director, Family Forward Oregon
01:02:46 Amanda Dalton, Northwest Grocery Association
01:11:55 Meeting Recessed
01:12:14 Meeting Reconvened
01:13:25 Vice-Chair Bonham

01:14:22 **SB 999 - Work Session**
01:14:23 Chair Taylor
01:15:09 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES TO ADOPT THE -3 AMENDMENTS
01:15:24 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR
01:15:54 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BONHAM MOVES SB 999 WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON RULES
01:17:19 Sen. Hansell
01:17:32 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: HANSELL, JAMA, PATTERSON, BONHAM, TAYLOR

01:17:50 **HB 2864 - Public Hearing**
01:17:51 Chair Taylor
01:18:07 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
01:18:56 Elena Martinez, Correctional Officer, Oregon State Penitentiary; President, Association of Correctional Employees
01:20:17 Jack Dempsy, Federation of Parole and Probation Officers; Association of Correctional Officers
01:20:37 Sen. Hansell
01:20:49 Becky Gallagher, Association of Oregon Corrections Employees

01:22:07 **HB 3331 - Public Hearing**
01:22:08 Chair Taylor
01:22:15 Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst
01:22:56 Lindi Leahy, Director, Unemployment Insurance Division, Oregon
 Employment Department
01:27:30 Meeting Adjourned