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AGENDA

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Public Hearing

SB141

> Requires the Department of Education to study methods for increasing the accountability of the public education system of this state.

Work Session

SB310

> Requires only one party to file a petition for a fact finder if the public employer is a public education employer.

313 ** SB

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs the Oregon Department of Administrative Services to develop an implementation plan for a statewide collective bargaining process for licensed educators in this state.

604 ** SB

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Establishes the Strong Start Program within the Higher Education Coordinating Commission for purposes of providing support to first-year and underrepresented students at public universities in this state.

SB868

> Directs the Department of Education to develop a formula and to submit a report related to the calculation of the cost of operating and administering a local, county or regional program of special education.

SB1098

> CARRIED OVER FROM THE 3-10-2025 MEETING: Prohibits discrimination when selecting or retaining school library materials, textbooks or instructional materials or when developing and implementing a curriculum.

Note change: SB 1098 carried over.

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