Whitney Perez, LPRO Analyst Matt Wurst, Committee Assistant



Members:

Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Chair Sen. Daniel Bonham, Vice-Chair

Sen. Cedric Hayden Sen. Khanh Pham Sen. Aaron Woods

SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND BUSINESS

Oregon State Capitol
900 Court Street NE, Room 453, Salem, Oregon 97301
Phone: 503-986-1524
Email: slb.exhibits@oregonlegislature.gov

AGENDA

Revision 1 Posted: FEB 24 01:14 PM

TUESDAY

Date: February 25, 2025

Time: 8:00 AM Room: HR B

Work Session

SB 856

Authorizes members and staff of the Oregon Racing Commission, and family members thereof, to place bets or wagers on certain race meets in the course of official auditing duties.

SB 864

Sets the bonding requirement for applicants for a landscape contracting business license or licensed landscape contracting businesses at \$20,000 if the applicant or licensed landscape contracting business charges \$100,000 or less for landscape jobs that the applicant or licensed landscape contracting business undertakes regularly and at \$50,000 if the applicant or licensed landscape contracting business charges more than \$100,000 for any landscape job.

SB 865

Requires the State Landscape Contractors Board to determine that a landscape contracting business is an independent contractor with responsibility for obtaining workers' compensation insurance if the landscape contracting business performs certain work related to backflow assemblies for irrigation systems and ornamental water features, to landscape irrigation control wiring and outdoor landscape lighting or to removing or pruning trees or tree limbs or stumps or performing tree or tree limb guying.

Public Hearing

SB 475

Modifies how the overtime cap is calculated for use in calculating the final average salary of members of the Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan.

SB 751 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs the Public Employees Retirement Board to establish definitions of "police officer" and "firefighter" for the sole purpose of determining which police officer and firefighter members of the Public Employees Retirement System are entitled to increased benefits.

AGENDA (cont.) February 25, 2025

SB 771 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs the Oregon Business Development Department to develop and administer a program for awarding grants to rodeo organizations based in communities with a population of 12,000 or less to fund certain capital projects on existing rodeo property.

Work Session

Possible Introduction of Committee Measures

Note change: SB 906 has been removed

For information on how to submit written testimony or register to testify on bills scheduled for a public hearing:

https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/citizen engagement

Written testimony may be submitted up to 48 hours after the committee meeting is scheduled to begin. Public testimony registration closes 30 minutes before the meeting is scheduled to begin.

For information on Language Access Services/Para más información sobre los Servicios de Acceso Lingüístico:

https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/lpro/Pages/language-access.aspx

To access links to a livestream or recordings of legislative meetings: