

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

May 20, 2025  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room H-174

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Mark Meek, Co-Chair  
Sen. Courtney Neron Misslin

Rep. David Gomberg, Co-Chair  
Rep. Jami Cate  
Rep. Daniel Nguyen  
Rep. Alek Skarlatos  
Rep. Mari Watanabe

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:**

Sen. Bruce Starr

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Ben Reuf, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Jade Briski, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

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

00:00:23     [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
00:00:24     Representative Gomberg, Presiding Co-Chair  
00:00:39     Ben Reuf, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
00:00:48     [HB 5034 Public Utility Commission of Oregon](#)  
00:03:40     Co-Chair Meek  
00:03:44     Mr. Reuf  
00:03:47     Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:03:50     Co-Chair Meek  
00:03:52     Mr. Reuf  
00:07:01     MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves the LFO recommendation to HB 5034  
00:07:10     Rep. Cate  
00:07:40     Mr. Reuf  
00:07:55     Rep. Cate  
00:08:00     Mr. Reuf  
00:08:05     Co-Chair Meek  
00:08:20     Mr. Reuf

00:08:27 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Skarlatos, Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr; Rep. Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES

00:09:11 Mr. Reuf

00:09:32 MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves the adoption of the –1 Amendment to HB 5034

00:09:38 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Skarlatos, Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr; Rep. Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES

00:09:50 Mr. Reuf

00:09:57 Co-Chair Meek

00:10:00 Co-Chair Gomberg

00:10:01 Mr. Reuf

00:10:36 MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves the LFO recommendation on key performance measures

00:10:43 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Skarlatos, Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr; Rep. Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES

00:10:54 Mr. Reuf

00:11:04 MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves HB 5034, as amended, to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation

00:11:12 VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 00:28:31)  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Skarlatos, Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr; Rep. Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Gomberg

00:12:24 Mr. Reuf

00:12:31 **HB 5042 Relating to state financial administration**

00:12:42 Ben Reuf, Legislative Fiscal Office

00:13:09 Tom Griffiths, Executive Director, Oregon Board of Maritime Pilots

00:14:05 Co-Chair Gomberg

00:14:09 Mr. Griffiths

00:18:33 Rep. Cate

00:18:50 Mr. Griffiths

00:19:34 Rep. Cate

00:20:22 Mr. Griffiths

00:20:40 Co-Chair Meek

00:20:45 Rep. Cate

00:20:49 Mr. Griffiths

00:20:57 Rep. Cate

00:21:00 Mr. Griffiths

00:21:49 Rep. Cate  
00:21:55 Mr. Reuf  
00:22:05 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:22:08 Mr. Griffiths  
00:22:14 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:22:21 Mr. Griffiths  
00:22:53 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:23:06 Mr. Griffiths  
00:23:35 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:23:52 Co-Chair Meek  
00:23:55 Rep. Cate  
00:24:03 Mr. Griffiths  
00:24:20 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:24:29 Rep. Cate  
00:24:36 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:24:48 Mr. Reuf  
00:26:49 MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves the adoption of the –2 Amendment to HB 5042  
00:26:56 VOTE: 7-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Nguyen, Skarlatos,  
Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr  
MOTION CARRIES  
00:27:15 MOTION: Co-Chair Meek moves HB 5042, as amended, to the Full Committee  
with a do pass recommendation  
00:27:22 VOTE: 7-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Nguyen, Skarlatos,  
Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Gomberg  
00:27:39 Mr. Reuf  
00:28:29 Co-Chair Meek  
00:28:31 Co-Chair Meek moves that the rules be suspended to allow Rep. Nguyen to vote  
on HB 5034  
00:28:42 Rep. Skarlatos  
00:28:48 Co-Chair Meek  
00:28:56 Co-Chair Gomberg  
00:29:05 VOTE: 7-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Meek, Neron Misslin; Reps. Cate, Gomberg, Nguyen, Skarlatos,  
Watanabe  
Exc: Sen. Starr  
MOTION CARRIES  
00:29:13 Mr. Reuf  
00:29:38 Co-Chair Gomberg

00:29:48      Meeting Adjourned