HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

February 21, 2014 **Hearing Room D**
9:00 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Rep. Chris Harker, Chair
Rep. Joe Gallegos, Vice-Chair
Rep. John Huffman, Vice-Chair
Rep. Vic Gilliam
Rep. Chris Gorsek
Rep. Mitch Greenlick
Rep. Mark Johnson
Rep. Barbara Smith Warner
Rep. Gene Whisnant

STAFF PRESENT:
Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
Lindsay Trant, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:
SB 1525 A – Public Hearing
SB 1524 A – Work Session
SB 1566 A – Public Hearing and Work Session

Recording Log

9:06:25 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Harker
9:06:35 AM Chair Harker

9:06:52 AM **SB 1525 A - Public Hearing**
9:07:02 AM Chair Harker
9:07:14 AM {Exhibit} 1: Sen. Jeff Kruse, Senate District 1
9:10:25 AM Chair Harker
9:10:51 AM Sen. Kruse
9:10:56 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:11:17 AM Sen. Kruse
9:11:32 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:11:36 AM Sen. Kruse
9:11:52 AM Chair Harker
9:11:57 AM Rep. Smith Warner
9:12:09 AM Sen. Kruse
9:12:29 AM Rep. Johnson
9:12:39 AM Sen. Kruse

9:13:09 AM Rep. Johnson
9:13:43 AM Sen. Kruse
9:14:21 AM Chair Harker

9:14:47 AM **SB 1524 A - Work Session**
9:14:52 AM Chair Harker
9:15:03 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:15:08 AM Chair Harker
9:15:12 AM {Exhibit} 2: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
9:16:05 AM Chair Harker
9:16:15 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HUFFMAN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -A2 AMENDMENTS
9:16:26 AM Chair Harker
9:16:38 AM VOTE: 9-0-0
9:16:38 AM AYES: GILLIAM, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER, WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER
9:16:42 AM Chair Harker
9:16:50 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HUFFMAN MOVES SB 1524 DO PASS AS AMENDED
9:17:00 AM Chair Harker
9:17:07 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:17:42 AM Chair Harker
9:18:02 AM VOTE: 9-0-0
9:18:04 AM AYES: GILLIAM, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER, WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER
9:18:20 AM Chair Harker
9:18:29 AM CARRIER: REP. GORSEK WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

9:18:56 AM **SB 1566 A - Public Hearing**
9:19:00 AM Chair Harker
9:19:10 AM Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
9:19:48 AM Chair Harker
9:19:57 AM Agnes Balassa, Workforce Policy Advisor, Governor's Office
9:25:19 AM Chair Harker
9:25:27 AM Balassa
9:25:35 AM Rep. Johnson
9:25:47 AM Balassa
9:27:29 AM Rep. Johnson
9:28:30 AM Balassa
9:31:51 AM Chair Harker
9:31:54 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:33:10 AM Chair Harker
9:33:40 AM Shawn Jillions, Oregon Workforce Partnership
9:34:51 AM Rep. Johnson
9:35:20 AM Jillions

9:36:10 AM Chair Harker
9:36:13 AM John Wyckoff, Legislative Director, Oregon Community College Association
9:38:54 AM Chair Harker
9:38:57 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:39:15 AM Chair Harker
9:39:24 AM {Exhibit} 3: witness registration
9:39:27 AM The following testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
9:39:29 AM {Exhibit} 4: Brian Krieg, Plumbing and Mechanical Contractors Association

9:39:31 AM **SB 1566 A - Work Session**
9:39:36 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HUFFMAN MOVES SB 1566 A DO PASS
9:39:41 AM Chair Harker
9:39:51 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:40:19 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:40:26 AM Agnes Balassa, Workforce Policy Advisor, Governor's Office
9:40:50 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:40:52 AM Balassa
9:40:54 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:40:59 AM Balassa
9:41:21 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:42:06 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:42:34 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:42:54 AM Balassa
9:43:52 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:44:04 AM Balassa
9:44:49 AM Rep. Gilliam
9:45:13 AM Balassa
9:45:56 AM Rep. Gilliam
9:46:12 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:46:37 AM Chair Harker
9:46:47 AM VOTE: 9-0-0
9:46:50 AM AYES: GILLIAM, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER, WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER
9:47:04 AM Chair Harker
9:47:12 AM CARRIER: REP. HUFFMAN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR
9:47:17 AM Chair Harker

9:47:30 AM **SB 1525 A - Public Hearing**
9:47:44 AM {Exhibit} 5-7:Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
9:48:58 AM Chair Harker
9:49:20 AM Ben Cannon, Executive Director, Higher Education Coordinating Commission
9:56:09 AM Chair Harker
9:56:23 AM Rep. Greenlick

9:56:26 AM Chair Harker
9:57:04 AM Rep. Johnson
9:57:34 AM Cannon
9:59:13 AM Chair Harker
9:59:19 AM Cannon
9:59:24 AM Chair Harker
9:59:35 AM {Exhibit} 8-9: Sen. Bruce Starr, Senate District 15
10:02:38 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
10:03:03 AM Chair Harker
10:03:04 AM Rep. Greenlick
10:03:15 AM Sen. Starr
10:03:22 AM Chair Harker
10:03:29 AM Rep. Nancy Nathanson, House District 13
10:06:12 AM Chair Harker
10:06:34 AM Rep. Whisnant
10:06:58 AM Chair Harker
10:07:35 AM {Exhibit} 10: witness registration
10:07:37 AM The following testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
10:07:39 AM {Exhibit} 11: Justin Martin, Days Creek School District
10:08:23 AM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Harker

Exhibit Summary

9:07:14 AM {Exhibit} 1: SB 1525 A, -A8 amendments, Sen. Jeff Kruse, 3 pp
9:15:12 AM {Exhibit} 2: SB 1524 A, -A2 amendments, staff, 1 p
9:39:24 AM {Exhibit} 3: SB 1566 A, witness registration, staff, 1 p
9:39:29 AM {Exhibit} 4: SB 1566 A, written testimony, Brian Krieg, 1 p
9:47:44 AM {Exhibit} 5: SB 1525 A, -A17 amendments, Rep. Nancy Nathanson, 2 pp
9:47:44 AM {Exhibit} 6: SB 1525 A, -A19 amendments, staff, 1 p
9:47:44 AM {Exhibit} 7: SB 1525 A, -A21 amendments, Sen. Mark Hass, 1 p
9:59:35 AM {Exhibit} 8: SB 1525 A, -A20 amendments, Sen. Bruce Starr, 2 pp
9:59:35 AM {Exhibit} 9: SB 1525 A, information sheet, Sen. Bruce Starr, 1 p
10:07:35 AM {Exhibit} 10: SB 1525 A, witness registration, staff, 1 p
10:07:39 AM {Exhibit} 11: SB 1525 A, written testimony of Days Creek School District, Justin Martin, 1 p