HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

February 24, 2014 **Hearing Room D**
8:00 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 – Work Session**
Informational Meeting
Higher Education Coordinating Commission
Strategic Plan

Recording Log

8:07:23 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Harker
8:07:32 AM Chair Harker

8:07:57 AM **SB 1525 A - Work Session**
8:08:04 AM {Exhibit} 1-3: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
8:10:08 AM Chair Harker
8:10:32 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:10:38 AM Chair Harker
8:11:18 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -A17 AMENDMENTS
8:11:29 AM Chair Harker
8:11:39 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
8:11:40 AM AYES: GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER, WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER
8:11:41 AM EXCUSED: GILLIAM
8:11:45 AM Chair Harker
8:11:56 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVE TO ADOPT THE -A19 AMENDMENTS

8:12:08 AM Chair Harker
8:12:14 AM Rep. Johnson
8:12:54 AM Cox
8:13:10 AM Chair Harker
8:13:46 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:14:00 AM Chair Harker
8:14:08 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
8:14:09 AM AYES: GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER, WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER
8:14:11 AM EXCUSED: GILLIAM
8:14:15 AM Chair Harker
8:14:24 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -A21 AMENDMENTS
8:14:36 AM Chair Harker
8:14:44 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:14:54 AM Chair Harker
8:14:59 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:15:17 AM Cox
8:15:55 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:15:59 AM Cox
8:16:01 AM Rep. Smith Warner
8:16:21 AM Chair Harker
8:16:36 AM Dyllan Bloom, Associated Students of Southern Oregon University
8:17:10 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:17:18 AM Chair Harker
8:17:33 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:17:35 AM Chair Harker
8:17:38 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:17:48 AM Chair Harker
8:17:53 AM Hans Bernard, University of Oregon
8:18:55 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:19:28 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:19:37 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:19:39 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:19:42 AM Chair Harker
8:19:47 AM Bernard
8:19:53 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:20:20 AM Bernard
8:20:24 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:20:43 AM Bloom
8:21:09 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:21:24 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:21:28 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:21:32 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:21:45 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:21:56 AM Rep. Johnson

8:22:00 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:22:08 AM Chair Harker
8:22:22 AM Anna Teske, Oregon University System
8:22:52 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:23:13 AM Teske
8:23:39 AM Chair Harker
8:23:52 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:24:06 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:24:09 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:24:16 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:24:35 AM Chair Harker
8:24:44 AM Meeting Recessed
8:27:13 AM Meeting Reconvened
8:27:17 AM Chair Harker
8:27:56 AM Mario Parker-Milligan, Oregon Student Association
8:29:28 AM Chair Harker
8:30:20 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:30:28 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:31:09 AM Parker-Milligan
8:31:32 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:31:46 AM Parker-Milligan
8:31:58 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:32:04 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:32:15 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:32:16 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:32:19 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:32:21 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:32:43 AM Chair Harker
8:32:51 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:32:59 AM Chair Harker
8:33:22 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:33:24 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:33:35 AM Parker-Milligan
8:34:05 AM Chair Harker
8:34:20 AM Dan Gilbert, attorney, Legislative Counsel
8:34:36 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:34:53 AM Chair Harker
8:35:17 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:35:47 AM Gilbert
8:35:58 AM Rep. Greenlick
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8:36:51 AM Rep. Whisnant
8:36:58 AM Chair Harker
8:37:05 AM Parker-Milligan
8:37:43 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:38:34 AM Chair Harker
8:38:50 AM Meeting Recessed
8:42:06 AM Meeting Reconvened
8:42:11 AM Chair Harker

8:42:49 AM **Higher Education Coordinating Commission Strategic Plan - Informational Hearing**
8:42:59 AM Chair Harker
8:43:12 AM Tim Nesbitt, Chair, Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC)
8:44:17 AM {Exhibit} 4-5: Ben Cannon, Executive Director, HECC
8:50:32 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:51:35 AM Cannon
8:52:59 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:53:53 AM Cannon
8:54:28 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:54:42 AM Cannon
8:56:09 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:56:16 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
8:58:15 AM Chair Harker
8:58:28 AM Cannon
8:58:44 AM Rep. Gorsek
8:58:59 AM Nesbitt
9:02:23 AM Cannon
9:02:52 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:02:56 AM Nesbitt
9:03:46 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:04:01 AM Nesbitt
9:04:07 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:04:21 AM Nesbitt
9:04:55 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:04:58 AM Cannon
9:05:24 AM Nesbitt
9:05:51 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
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9:18:04 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:18:08 AM Cannon
9:19:57 AM Rep. Johnson
9:21:08 AM Rep. Whisnant
9:21:31 AM Nesbitt
9:25:20 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:26:38 AM Nesbitt
9:26:51 AM Cannon
9:27:16 AM Nesbitt
9:29:19 AM Cannon
9:30:46 AM Nesbitt
9:31:31 AM Vice-Chair Gallegos
9:31:35 AM Rep. Johnson
9:32:43 AM Vice-Chair Gallegos
9:33:36 AM Cannon
9:34:14 AM Vice-Chair Gallegos
9:35:59 AM Cannon
9:37:27 AM Chair Harker
9:37:32 AM Cannon
9:37:40 AM Vice-Chair Gallegos
9:38:32 AM Connie Green, President, Tillamook Bay Community College
9:43:39 AM {Exhibit} 6: Ed Ray, President, Oregon State University
9:44:41 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:44:43 AM Ray
9:57:34 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:58:43 AM Ray
9:59:37 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:59:40 AM Ray
10:00:06 AM Rep. Greenlick
10:00:09 AM Chair Harker
10:00:13 AM Larry Large, President, Oregon Alliance of Independent Colleges and Universities
10:05:29 AM Chair Harker
10:05:59 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
10:06:46 AM Chair Harker
10:07:25 AM Debbie Koreski, Government Relations, Portland State University
10:09:30 AM Hans Bernard, University of Oregon
10:12:06 AM Chair Harker
10:12:10 AM Vice-Chair Gallegos
10:12:55 AM Chair Harker
10:13:39 AM Meeting Recessed
12:26:00 PM Meeting Reconvened
12:26:02 PM Chair Harker
12:26:30 PM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Harker

Exhibit Summary

8:08:04 AM {Exhibit} 1: SB 1525 A, -A17 amendments, Rep. Nancy Nathanson, 2 pp
8:08:04 AM {Exhibit} 2: SB 1525 A, -A19 amendments, staff, 1 p
8:08:04 AM {Exhibit} 3: SB 1525 A, -A21 amendments, Sen. Mark Hass
8:44:17 AM {Exhibit} 4: Higher Education Coordinating Commission Strategic Plan, PowerPoint presentation, *Pathways to Progress: A Strategy for Steering, Cheering and Persevering To Achieve Oregon's Higher Education Goals,* Ben Cannon and Tim Nesbitt, 26 pp
8:44:17 AM {Exhibit} 5: Higher Education Coordinating Commission Strategic Plan, *Pathways to Progress*, Ben Cannon and Tim Nesbitt, 4 pp
9:43:39 AM {Exhibit} 6: Higher Education Coordinating Commission Strategic Plan, written testimony, Ed Ray, 4 pp