

Secretary: Vote explanation please. Sen Boquist

SB1574 is an omnibus Judiciary Committee bill inappropriate for the short session. Omnibus meaning good, bad, worse and neutral items that could not be passed on their own merit are placed in a bill. It is a nineteen (19) page bill most members never read. It expands the authority of human special agents (private police) while hiding their identity in the police state. The Oregon Supreme Court has made it very clear the "police state" trumps citizens in Oregon. It allows several public boards to hide public proceedings. The Uniparty supporters claim citizens can file public records requests if they want to know what these Boards are doing. The Boards will charge thousands of dollars to the citizen plus the Attorney General will have unlimited funds to oppose the citizen's request for public records. Historical fact. Trust Accounts are a disaster let alone allowing changes in this bill. The ODOT changes should have been reviewed by the Joint Transportation Committee responsible for finding billions of dollars for that agency. The list goes on and on. This issues of this bill should have been separated then introduced in the long session. No on SB 1574.