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CLERK: 27 ayes, 1 nay on motion to return.

PRESIDENT: The bill is returned. Senator Maresh.

SENATOR MARESH: Mr. President, I move that the amendment be adopted as presented. This, most of the time, costs more than the amount collected. This was called to my attention by the County Treasurer in Fillmore County. I talked to Mr. Rhunke and he thinks this would be a good change in the Statute. I move that this be adopted.

PRESIDENT: Senator Anderson.

SENATOR ANDERSON: Mr. President, I guess I need to ask a couple of questions of Senator Maresh.

SENATOR MARESH: Yes.

SENATOR ANDERSON: As I read this it says "no person shall be required to pay personal tax in any year in which the amount of taxes is less than \$1". That probably would be a cost savings. The thing I'm wondering is that there is some other statutory language that still, I think, would require the assessor to assess, go through all the procedure for assessing and figuring out what the valuation of the property is for putting this tax on the tax book and for transferring it to the treasurers office. I guess I'm ... have you had a chance to check any of this out? Are you still going to allow the ... leave a situation where the assessor still has to figure out the value of this tax?

SENATOR MARESH: Right. This just doesn't require that they send the notice.

SENATOR ANDERSON: So what's going to happen then if the taxes on the tax book and it's still due and owing the way the law is written, I'm wondering if it wouldn't be.... I really don't want to oppose your motion right now, but I'm wondering if you'd be willing to allow this thing to be bracketed for a day so we could check exactly what this does?

SENATOR MARESH: I agree. If that's your wish I go along with that to bracket the bill.

SENATOR ANDERSON: Mr. President, I'll ask unanimous consent to bracket LB 675 until tomorrow. I think that will give us enough time to check it out.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? Seeing none, it will be bracketed until tomorrow. Mr. Clerk, anything else?

CLERK: We have Select File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Then we go to Select File according to the agenda. Alright, LB 635. We'll commence on Select File with LB 635. Senator Dworak.

SENATOR DWORAK: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the Enrollment and Review amendments to LB 635.