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Mr. President, your Committee Enrollment and Review reports we have examined and reviewed LR 115 and find the same correctly enrolled, LB 743 correctly enrolled; 763 correctly enrolled; 798 correctly enrolled; and 977 correctly enrolled. Signed, Senator Dworak, Chairman.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, may I raise possibly a point of order?

PRESIDENT: Yes.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, LR 115 was, of necessity, treated as a bill. I inquire of the Chair and suggest that the bill, when it is signed by you, that it be forwarded to the Governor as a bill is forwarded to the Governor for his approval or rejection.

PRESIDENT: Well I still sign bills, even if they're forwarded to the Governor. But I think you're right. This was handled as a bill. You're suggesting that it be routed then like a bill.

SENATOR DUIS: Yes, to the Governor for his signature or whatever he desires to do with it so that it would have the full force and effect of a bill.

PRESIDENT: It is in that form. It's in the usual form today, so I will not sign LR 115 then.

SENATOR DUIS: Thank you very much. It will be put in proper form and forwarded to the Governor. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Alright, thank you. While the Legislature is in session I propose to sign and do hereby sign LB 743, LB 763, LB 798 and LB 977. Mr. Clerk.

We have no General File ... or Final Reading. We start with Select File. According to your agenda the first one is LB 903.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Clark asked to be excused at noon.

PRESIDENT: Senator Burbach.

SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. I want to apologize to this body. Yesterday I said we'd like to have those who requested to be absent on Friday make it be known to the Clerk by no later than Thursday, noon. Yesterday morning I was supposed to have gone to a funeral. The funeral was postponed on account of the weather. So I'm asking to be excused until I return and saying that I'm the first to break my own rule. I do ask to be excused until I return which will be about noon.