

March 5, 1976

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to adopt.

PRESIDENT: The amendments are adopted. Senator Kennedy.

SENATOR KENNEDY: I would move that the bill, LB 794, be advanced with the Committee amendments. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Discussion? Senator Fowler.

SENATOR FOWLER: I'd just say the bill was brought in the Health and Welfare Committee to straighten out a problem in transferred employee benefits because of the passage of LB 302 a couple years ago, the Community Mental Health Bill. There was no opposing testimony.

The bill had been worked out with all parties concerned prior to its being brought in. After the adoption of the Committee amendments, which were technical, I think most of the problems of the bill have been worked out. It's just simply to facilitate the transfer of benefits. Senator Kennedy says that we thought that we had handled this last year. One particular problem came up. This bill should correct that.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to whom was referred LB 922, instructs me to report the same to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File. Signed, Senator Barnett, Vice Chairman.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 960. It's Senator Luedtke's bill.

PRESIDENT: Pass. LB 779.

CLERK: Read title to LB 779.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rasmussen. Senator DeCamp. Whose....

SENATOR DeCAMP: Let Senator Rasmussen.

PRESIDENT: Alright.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body. These were the amendments that were mentioned in the Committee statement that would be brought on the floor. This amendment is currently in the Attorney General's Office to see that it is OK. This bill is definitely needed for the projects ... the North Loup project and the Norton Dam project. I ask for your help to adopt the amendment.