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LB 983

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Hefner. Okay, did you wish to close, Senator Schmit? Okay, the question is the adoption of the Schmit amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. It takes 25. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the Schmit amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: The next motion I have to the bill, Mr. President, is by Senator DeCamp to suspend Rule 6, Section 3 and Rule 7, Section 3 and vote without further debate and without amendment on the advancement of 983.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Any discussion on the suspension of the rules? Senator Hefner, did you wish to speak on the suspension of the rules? No other speakers, the question is...Senator Beutler. Excuse me, I had a tablet laying over your light.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, I just want to comment briefly on the procedure that we are following. It seems like every time we get to these last few days there are a few people who are interested in creating a panic situation and the whole idea is to do a whole bunch of things all at once and we end up doing some things very poorly and I hope this is the last we'll see of these kinds of procedures. There has been absolutely no debate on this bill this time and I think that is entirely inappropriate and I'm not about to vote for anything that has been dealt with in this manner and I hope nobody else either. Thank you.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Schmit, did you wish to close?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, I would like to yield a few minutes of time to both Senator Marsh and Senator Hoagland if it is possible at this time.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Okay, Senator Marsh, are you first?