

Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Abboud's amendment to the bill.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Abboud, do you wish to advance the bill?

SENATOR ABOUD: Mr. President, I wish to advance LB 293 past Select File onto E & R Engrossing.

PRESIDENT: The motion is to advance LB 293 from Select File. All those in favor vote aye...say aye. Opposed no. Motion carried. The bill is advanced. Do you have any matters for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: No, sir.

PRESIDENT: At this time then we'll move into General File, LB 38.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 38 was a bill introduced by Senator Howard Lamb and Senator DeCamp has added his name to the bill. (Title read.) The bill was read on January 10 of this year. It was referred to the Revenue Committee for public hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. There are Revenue Committee amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) May we have order, please. If you'll lower your conversational level, please. Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. President, members of the body, this is like "Jaws II". This is "property tax relief II" and I know you have an abiding interest in property tax relief. This is Senator Lamb's version of property tax relief. The bill as written by Senator Lamb would tell the Director of the Department of Revenue to send everybody a check for 10 percent of the property taxes that they have paid starting in 1986. Now the Revenue Committee took Senator Lamb's simple-minded bill and changed it in conformance with what was a prevailing philosophy at the