

referred to Revenue, advanced to General File. There are Revenue Committee amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hefner for the Revenue Committee.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I will take the Revenue Committee amendments since Senator Johnson has not arrived yet. This bill would require the counties to pay for all cost incurred in providing annual county assessor testing, and what the committee amendments does, the committee amendment strikes the section that would require the counties to pay for cost incurred in providing annual county assessor testing. So the committee amendment would put that back so the state would pick up the cost on that. I move for the adoption of the Revenue Committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Any discussion on the amendments? Senator Warner, do you have a comment on this amendment? Any other discussion on the amendments from the Revenue Committee? If not, the motion is to adopt the committee amendments to 1105. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: The committee amendments are adopted. Anything else? Senator Warner. Senator Warner, you may explain LB 1105 if you wish.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I move that the bill be advanced. With the committee amendment, there are two provisions which result in a reduction in the General Fund, the first one dealing with, which is left in the bill now after the committee amendment, is that there would be a charge made then for the cost of the annual assessors school. Currently that General Fund cost is \$12,555, which would then in turn be covered by a fee for the school consistent with the fees we charge for a number of different kind of schools, and then the other provision would eliminate the current awards program for certain qualified assessors. Currently there is ten payments being made, the total cost, \$10,715, and the two then have some reduction. Both of these, as well as a number of other items that were proposed by the Department of Revenue were areas that in their budget document suggested that changes could be made to provide some relief to the General Fund, and these