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LB 344, 425
LR 116-119

Senator Robinson, Senator Schimek, Senator Elmer. Senators Wehrbein and Wesely, the house is under call. Senator Bohlke, Senator Robinson, the house is under call. Senator Robak, would you check in, please. Thank you very much. All members that are not excused are present, Mr. Clerk. Call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 2114 of the Legislative Journal.) 18 ayes, 17 nays on the motion to bracket, Mr. President.

SENATOR HALL: The motion fails. Next item on the bill, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: May I read some items, Mr. President?

SENATOR HALL: The call is raised. Items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, study resolutions, Senators Hillman and Wehrbein offer LR 116; Senators Hillman, Day and Bernard-Stevens, LR 117; LR 118 offered by Senator Preister and a number of members; LR 119 by Senator Preister, Pedersen and Jensen. All are study resolutions. All will be referred to the Executive Board. Senator Schellpeper, amendments to LB 344 to be printed. General Affairs, notice of confirmation hearing. (See pages 2115-19 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Wickersham and Senator Engel, found on page 1792.

SENATOR HALL: Senator Wickersham, to open on the amendment.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you, Mr. President. The amendment has been printed in the Journal, as the Clerk indicates, it's on page 1792. It does two things, one of them is purely technical, that is a drafting problem that arose from a floor amendment we adopted at General File. What you see within the structure of the bill is a series of requirements for policies and procedures, and amongst those requirements for policies and procedures is a finding with respect to each loan and grant that competition from another state is a factor, et cetera, et cetera. Well you can't have a policy and a procedure that is a finding in and of itself, so the amendment simply strikes the word "findings" and inserts the requirement that we have a policy requiring the commission to find with respect to each loan and grant that competition from another state is a factor.