

January 18, 1996 LB 464, 949, 986, 1075, 1285-1324
LR 302-306

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Madam President and members of this body. I, again, have before you LB 949, which is the annual wild card bill for savings and loans. It simply says that we will give state chartered savings and loans the same powers and benefits under state law that federally chartered savings and loans have under federal law. The Legislature does this each year to maintain a competitive balance between the state chartered S & Ls and the federally chartered savings and loans. It affects three state chartered savings and loans across the state and any other S & L that may become state chartered in the future. This is really just a procedure bill that needs to be passed each year, and so it's a lot on the same order of what Senator Pirsch just brought before you, and so I hope you'll advance LB 949 to Select File. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Vrtiska. Is there any discussion on the advancement of LB 949? Seeing none, Senator Vrtiska to close. Closing is waived. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 949. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of LB 949.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 949 advances. We will hold over LB 29 and move on to LB ..the motion to adopt permanent rules. Before we proceed, Mr. Clerk, items for the record.

CLERK: Madam President, thank you. New bills. (Read LB 1285-1324 for the first time by title. See pages 469-75 of the Legislative Journal.) In addition to those items, Madam President, two new resolutions. (Read brief explanation of LR 302 and LR 303. See pages 475-77 of the Legislative Journal.) In addition, new resolutions. (Read brief explanation of LR 304-306. See pages 477-78 of the Legislative Journal.) Those will be laid over. Those are offered by Senator Robinson. Senator Wickersham reports LB 986 to General File, and LB 1075 to General File, and Transportation Committee reports LB 464 to General File, and then I have two hearing notices, one from Transportation and a second...three hearing notices, Transportation, Judiciary, and Government Committee offer hearing notices. That's all that I have, Madam President.