

March 28, 1996

LB 253, 1044, 1044A

SPEAKER WITHEM: LB 1044 passes with the emergency clause attached. Mr. Clerk, LB 1044A.

CLERK: Well, Mr. President, before I start, I have a motion by Senator Will, but he'd like to withdraw that amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: (Read LB 1044A on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 1044A pass with the emergency clause attached? All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 1625 of the Legislative Journal.) 41 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President, on the final passage.

SPEAKER WITHEM: LB 1044A passes with the emergency clause attached. Like to recognize some guests of the Legislature under the north balcony, guests of Senator Dierks from Butte, Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Reiser. Welcome. Welcome to the Legislature. And in the north balcony guests of Senator Wehrbein and the entire Legislature, there are 24 fourth graders from Central Elementary School in Plattsmouth and their teacher. Let me now...and let's welcome those folks, please. And let me make an announcement about how I plan to proceed. There's a mixture of bills on Final Reading today, most of which have advanced via the consent calendar mechanism. What I am doing is putting those bills on for the purpose of reading only. If there are amendments that need to be added to those, we'll wait and do those amendments at other times. There are three bills that advanced through the process of priority status. As those are the bills which we are donating most of our time, if there are amendments filed on those, those will be taken up. So there are a couple of bills that have had amend...consent calendar type bills that have had amendments filed to them. We will not be taking those amendments up today, just so if there's any question later on as to why we proceeded as we did. Mr. Clerk, read LB 253, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 253 on Final Reading.)