

TRANSCRIPT PREPARED BY THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE
Transcriber's Office

May 27, 1997

LB 150, 216

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers, no further lights on. No closing. The question is, shall the Chambers amendment to LB 216 be adopted? All of those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Chambers' amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Chambers amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk, is there anything further?

CLERK: Nothing further, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Bruning.

SENATOR BRUNING: Mr. Speaker, I move LB 216 to E & R for engrossing.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Heard the motion, all in favor say aye. Opposed. LB 216 is advanced. Mr. Clerk, LB 150.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 150, introduced by Senator Maurstad. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 10 of this year, at that time referred to the Judiciary Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I have no committee amendments. I do have other amendments to the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator...Mr. Clerk, would you call up one of those amendments. Senator Maurstad, some question as to whether you've actually opened on the bill. I thought we had had some discussion. But let me give you two or three minutes to bring us up-to-date, or if you haven't opened on it, use your full ten minutes.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I do believe I did open on the bill. I would just indicate that at this point the bill has been amended from its original intent to change the scope of the project to include both an 800-bed facility and a 126 segregation facility in the same unit. The construction type has changed. The dollar amount, the operational cost is