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mere reference to that federal law would suggest that when that law at the federal level is changed by Congress, then the Nebraska law changes along with it,...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...that cannot stand. So, care should be taken. Committee counsels should note these references and be sure that language, if not exactly the same as what Senator Wickersham is offering, very similar to that and which accomplishes that purpose. Maybe some members of the Business and Labor Committee might like to look at a bill or two and just see if we might have a bit of additional work to do. Maybe we don't, but, since we're unsure, it won't hurt us to look. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate on the advancement of the bill? Senator Wickersham, you're recognized to close on LB 122. He waives closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 122 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 122.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: LB 122 advances. We next move to LB 169, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 169, introduced by the Revenue Committee and signed by its members. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 4, referred to the Revenue Committee, advanced to General File. I have no amendments at this time to the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The Chair of the Revenue Committee, Senator Wickersham, you're recognized to open on the bill.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Mr. Speaker, (cough) excuse me. This is a bill that was introduced by the Revenue Committee as a result of suggestions from the Department of Revenue for various changes in our tax structure. The one that is perhaps the most