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vote aye, all those opposed vote no. You are voting now on the Luedtke amendment to LB 228A. Senator Luedtke explained you've put the money into the other bill now this takes it out of this bill. That shouldn't take too long to get 25 votes together that. I suppose it's redundant for the chair to mention there are 12 more legislative days and we're barely past Select File today. Have you all voted? Thank you. The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, no nays, 24 not voting.

PRESIDENT: Motion is adopted. Senator Luedtke, we have to move the bill on. Motion now is to advance LB 228A as amended. All those in favor of re-advancing the bill please say aye, those opposed say no. The ayes have it, so ordered. The bill as amended is re-advanced. Do we have any other motions on the desk?

CLERK: Mr. President, we have some committee reports. Reads reports. Reads title of LB 568.

PRESIDENT: Then the motion was not to hold a public hearing, did the chair understand that?

CLERK: Motion was to place it on General File.

PRESIDENT: Place it directly on General File. All right. Senator Carpenter in the Chamber? Well, maybe we'd better pass over that for the moment then. Senator Waldron, do you want to handle the motion on this?

SENATOR WALDRON: I really don't have the statement of intent and Senator Carpenter was going to move the introduction. But it's a, the way I--would you read that bill? It just changes gives the, involving federal funds with the Department of Education. I think it's just a clarifying amendment that needs to be adopted.

CLERK: It changes two words in 79-1455 relating to the providing the State Board of Education with discretionary powers. It strikes the word title to and it says the provision. In another place it strikes and directed. It's just a technical amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, do you have some input?

SENATOR WARNER: Yeah, Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this bill was brought in by the department and submitted to the Exec. Board as the normal procedure for introduction. What it is, there are some federal programs under the House Role No. 1 that was enacted in 1972 that provides for funds under Social Security for Voc, Vocational Rehabilitation. Our present law is restricted so that the title under which those funds are distributed do not, the federal title does not fit our state law. This amendment will allow vocational rehabilitation to go ahead and process these funds that have been called as of today from Kansas City wanting to know if we were going to do this. Attorney General's office has indicated that a change needed to be made if these funds are to be utilized and it's purely corrective. There's no need for a hearing. It can be placed directly on General File but it should be enacted this session.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to suspend the rules and introduce the bill. Is there any further discussion? Question is, shall the rules be suspended and the bill be introduced and placed directly on General File? All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. While you are rounding up 30 votes to suspend the rules to introduce this bill, the chair would like to introduce 23 sophomores from the Overton High School, Overton, Nebraska from Senator Duis' district. Their instructor is Don E. McKee and James Walker. They are up here in the north balcony and we're delighted to have you here today as visitors