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SENATOR DUIS: No, but I mean it drops down. I'm just trying to put it in perspective is all.

PRESIDENT: I don't think, well, all right go ahead.

CLERK: Yes, we moved to advance and it didn't but that has to be twice, Herb, not just once.

SENATOR DUIS: That's all right, go right ahead.

PRESIDENT: If a bill fails to advance three times, then it goes to the bottom of General File. Oh, excuse me, it's dead, yes: Well, all right, is there any further discussion on LB 256? Question is, shall LB 256 be advanced from General File to E & R Initial then? All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote no. Well, I'm sorry, the chair is confused. What light was on? Well, I'll admit that the light is on now. Senator Marvel. For what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MARVEL: I was absent for the last hour yesterday and I was just handed these figures and I think we ought to--I would like to read the figures before the vote and this is no attempt one way or the other but... This is total project cost of floor amendments of the atanding committee amendments, \$15,459,350. The cost, this is a three-year project, the next fiscal year's cost 1973-74, \$3,543,100. Following year's cost, \$7,925,000 and the third year's cost \$3,991,250 for a total three year figure of \$45,340,147. In the second page of this it says total yearly costs of 256 as amended. 1973-74 total now is \$21,216,639. Second year \$16,181,193 and the third year \$7,636,315. If anybody'd like to see these, I just received them.

PRESIDENT: Senator Keyes.

SENATOR KEYES: Well, Mr. President, it seems that I'd like to have these put on my desk before I vote on any part of this bill. Yesterday afternoon we went just a little bit wild on putting things on the bill that got 14 to 2 votes. Now we know that when they go over to the Governor he can line item veto them but I don't believe in turning over the legislation of this State over to the Governor of the State of Nebraska. As for my part, I'd like to take all the amendments that were put on the bill yesterday, take them off and advance the bill as the Budget Committee brought it out.

PRESIDENT: Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: In reference to Senator Keyes, he had the silly amendment and the only one that wasn't adopted was the \$3 million. Now let me say, I'll ask Senator Marvel a question. Now how much is this over what the Governor recommended we spend in the first year?

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel, do you care to respond?

SENATOR MARVEL: What about the other three years?

SENATOR CARPENTER: Just the first year, that's all we're spending.

SENATOR MARVEL: The first year is all he has anyway. \$18 million. So we're about...

SENATOR CARPENTER: How much more have we allocated than he recommended?

SENATOR MARVEL: About \$3.2 million.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Now Mr. President, in 581 we were kind