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LB 235

SENATOR CARPENTER: I don't think you can do that. Neither do I think we should.

SENATOR GOODRICH: There is no funds being appropriated by the State Legislature for this purpose whatsoever.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Of course, that they are not. You are telling them to siphon it out of anyplace they can find it. That's worse yet.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Well, if we had the time to do it. If this problem had been called to our attention earlier, we could have included it in the budget appropriation bill, 259, or whatever appropriation bill we wanted to put it into. However, it is too late for that. We can not appropriate any money for this purpose but we can, at least, correct the problem and let the University get started with the program immediately as opposed to waiting until even a year from now which will leave a gap of a year in the nurses production of the state of Nebraska.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, I think the gentleman complains too much. I think that as long as Senator Kennedy, who is the Chairman of the Committee, recommends against the motion, that within itself ought to be enough. I rise to oppose and I move the previous question.

PRESIDENT: The previous question has been moved. Does the chair see five hands? Thank you. The question is shall the debate now close on the motion. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote no. Motion is to close debate. Previous question has been moved on the issue. Thank you. The clerk will record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay, 22 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The debate will now close. Senator Goodrich, do you have a closing on your motion. Senator Goodrich is closing.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Just to remind you that the even production of nurses, the smooth production of nurses in the state of Nebraska depends on whether or not you adopt this motion. If we can get it started this coming fall semester, there will be no gap in the production of nurses. If we can not get it started this coming fall semester, there will be a one year gap and it is for that reason I urge you to adopt it. All we are doing is telling the University to go ahead and get started with it.

PRESIDENT: The question is shall the motion be adopted. All those in favor vote aye. Those opposed vote no. You are voting on the Goodrich motion. Once again, the chair would inquire if you have all voted? Have you all voted? The clerk will record.

CLERK: 4 ayes, 19 nays, 26 not voting.'

PRESIDENT: Motion is lost.

CLERK: Mr. President, I move that we reconsider our action on LB 235 taken on June 1. Signed, Senator Carstens..Fred.

PRESIDENT: The chair recognizes Senator Fred Carstens.

SENATOR FRED CARSTENS: I move the motion be adopted. I have no discussion. You all know what is contained in this bill. You all know what the impact is. It has been gone over. I am ready for the question.

PRESIDENT: Was it 235. I didn't quite catch the motion. Is there any further discussion of the motion regarding recon-