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LB 34

that, the Chair recognizes Speaker Marvel for purposes of suspending the rules for taking this bill up to date.

SPEAKER MARVEL: I move that the rules be suspended and we vote on LB 34.

PRESIDENT: The motion is...is there any discussion? The motion is to suspend the rules in order to take up LB 34 today. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. This will require 30 votes. Record the vote.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays on the rule suspension, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion passed. The rules are suspended and we shall now take up on final reading LB 34. That is as soon as everyone...all legislators are at their desks. I might explain to the visitors here today that the Constitution of the State of Nebraska requires that every last word of every bill be read upon final reading. Sometimes it's done in a very slow and methodical way, and sometimes in a very fast and a very inaudible way. However, the law...the Constitution requires this, and the legislators must remain at their desks. No one else may be on the floor. So if you wonder what's going on, that's what's going on. Proceed then, Mr. Clerk, with the reading, Final Reading of LB 34.

CLERK: Mr. President, engrossed Legislative Bill 34...(Read LB 34, Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 34 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye. Opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: Read record vote. 38 ayes, 0 nays. 6 excused and not voting, 5 present and not voting, Mr. President. (See Page 354 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: LB 34 passes with the emergency clause attached. Anything further on the desk, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, explanation of vote offered by Senator Newell, which will be inserted in the Legislative Journal. See Page 354 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the committee on Constitutional Revision and