

they would, but I'm just wondering how it's going to benefit other than keeping a Commission in existence.

SENATOR KOCH: I'm certain that the Commission would notify... well, first of all they'll develop rules and regulations, and these will be available to those institutions who are coming to Nebraska who intend to set up certain kinds of courses or programs, and they will say these are the minimal standards and you will have to indicate and show that your courses that you're offering are indeed transferrable to the University of Nebraska, or to some other institution. There are twelve other states who have the same kind of a Commission and they are working and they're doing a good job.

SENATOR COPE: Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Before I put a motion, I wish to...underneath the south balcony, to recognize former Senator and Mrs. Leslie Stull. Would you stand so we may recognize you, please?

SENATOR LEWIS PRESIDING

SENATOR LEWIS: Senator Cullan, would you care to close in reply on your kill motion?

SENATOR CULLAN: Well, Mr. President, the kill motion...

SENATOR LEWIS: Oh, you'd like to make the motion first?

SENATOR CULLAN: Yes, sir.

SENATOR LEWIS: Oh, I've got it straight now, let's play the ball game.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, when I glance at this bill and Senator Koch has offered no justification that I can see for us to advance this bill, so I have placed a kill motion on it, and I would like to ask you to take a look at LB 141, and what it particularly... and I just don't see a need for it. What it does is establishes the authority of the Commission to approve or disapprove institutions that would operate in the State of Nebraska. It would give the Commission the power to revoke or suspend authorization of any out of state institution, private or public, of higher education to offer a course or degree program in the state when there are any violations. It gives a good deal of authority to the Postsecondary Educational Coordinating Commission. Now I don't know the reason for the