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LB 17

for a specific amendment. The Clerk will read the amendment.

CLERK: Excuse me, Mr. President, Senator Newell moves to return LB 17 to Select File for specific amendment, that amendment being: Read. (See page 910, Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Newell, do you want to speak to your amendment?

SENATOR NEWELL: Yes, Mr. President, it was brought to my attention that even though the intents of the legislation was not to ask for valuations of these types of property that the Legislature was not clear that it might in fact do that. For this reason, I ask to offer this. I think it is clarifying language. I think it will resolve some of those people who have direct fears about the additional work to county assessors of valuating property of which we have no intent of finding the value or which the Legislature does not need that information. For that reason, I would ask that we return the bill to add this specific amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Motion is to return LB 17 to Select File for the specific amendment as read. All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Clerk, record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to return, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried and the bill is returned. Now, do you have any other remarks, Senator Newell?

SENATOR NEWELL: I would like to move for the adoption of the amendment. Again, it clarifies for those that had questions about whether it would cause the assessment or evaluation of property used in religious, educational or charitable institutions. It, in fact, makes it very clear that that is not the intent of this legislation and for that reason I move for the adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is for the adoption of the Newell amendment to LB 17. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Do you want the amendment read again? Okay, Clerk, read the amendment again.

CLERK: Mr. President, the amendment reads as follows: Read.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Newell's amendment.