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it is an overextension of our authority and our powers into the business of deciding facts without an adequate hearing, without adequate debate and without adequate knowledge.

SPEAKER MARVEL: One minute.

SENATOR LANDIS: Therefore, I will be voting and I hope I will be joined by some of you, some of you farsighted Senators in opposing the doctrine enunciated in LB 108 even in this limited form. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: Well really the occasion for my button was simply backup time for Senator Landis. Did you get it all said, David? Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Cullan.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I would have to rise in support of Senator Landis. I think that his explanation is quite sufficient and does indicate reasons to oppose LB 108. My very strongest concern is here we single out the state college system and take out the University and the technical community colleges and so we are saying that one sector of post-secondary education shall be treated in one way and another sector, the other sectors of post-secondary education in another and when you examine the facts that Senator Landis has presented them to us and the Supreme Court decisions or the decisions of the Court of Industrial Relations and so forth, it is clear to me that the system which does... where separate bargaining units are most justified, is the state college system and so in fact, this bill appears to me to be the opposite of what we should be doing. So I will certainly oppose Senator Landis in advancing this bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Maresh, do you wish to make a motion?

SENATOR MARESH: Yes, Mr. Speaker, I move that LB 108 be advanced to E & R final.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is to advance LB 108 to E & R final. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. The motion is to advance the bill. The motion is to advance LB 108 to E & R for engrossment. Are you ready