

April 25, 1979

LB 576

SPEAKER MARVEL: All in favor of that motion say aye, opposed no. Motion carried. The bill is advanced. Next bill, 576.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. Speaker, I move the E & R amendments to LB 576.

SPEAKER MARVEL: All in favor of that motion say aye, opposed no. Motion carried. The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, I now have amendments offered by Senator..., First of all Senator Warner had amendments on page 1641 but I understand he wishes to withdraw those. Is that right, Senator? And offer instead, some other amendments which I don't believe are printed. Is that right, Senator? Okay.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, the amendments that appear in the Journal are essentially identical to what is being offered. They were redrafted by the bill drafter after printing and there is nothing but bill drafting changes, nothing of substance. The whole amendment is essentially corrective in nature. The first one establishes a fund which was not clearly established...establishes a fund for the contribution fund to the Department of Administrative Services cash fund which is the title but this is the fund where Social Security payments from local subdivisions as required by federal law are deposited and this is where the interest would be acquired while those funds are being held for their...during the period which they are then sent to the federal government on a monthly basis but while they are being accumulated. The second amendment merely clarifies that there was one fund involved and the bill as originally drafted had two and the whole intent of this was reduced in part was to reduce the number of funds that we are dealing with. The next amendment is the same kind of a thing. It indicated that this is a revolving fund rather than a cash fund. The next amendment, the same correction of the name of a fund. The next amendment spells out more clearly that before any charges can be made by D.A.S. in the charges of leasing state buildings back to agencies, that those adjustments must be made prior to December 1st and that the Clerk of the Legislature and the fiscal office are notified so that any adjustments can be considered during the