

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I might take the opportunity just to briefly explain on these fiscal notes, if you would look at the one on 790, for example, it does show what the estimated cost, I think it's about \$7000 tuition statewide, which would be coming from county funds, but the important thing I wanted to say is that we have changed the system of estimating the impact on legislation on local government. Prior to this year why we tried to get...the fiscal staff tried to get some kind of an estimate from the organizations and before the session started this year, worked out an arrangement with both the League of Municipalities and with the Association of County Officials in which these bills that may have an impact, fiscal impact, on either of the two entities, there is representative counties selected by the association, each of the associations, representative cities or representative counties which specifically fill out what they feel the cost on their county might be, and if you look in the fiscal note there is samples of nine counties and what they estimated their cost to be on an annualized basis, and I think that the system, at least, gives a better idea than what was the case prior to this year. We just put down their figures. We don't argue with what they might estimate the cost, unless they are totally ridiculous, of course, but it is an effort to give a better picture than what we previously had and I would also say on any of these it's not the A bill that is as significant as the enabling legislation. If you support the enabling legislation, you better have the A bill to support...to fund it. I would assume that most of the argument on content ought to be on the substantive bill rather than the A bill unless there is disagreement as to the cost that is proposed.

SPEAKER MARVEL: I think the Chair would suggest that we are arguing...discussing A bills and not the substance of the other bills. Senator Powers, your light was on. Okay. Senator Schmit. The motion before the House is the advancement of 790A to E & R for Review. Senator DeCamp, do you have any other comments on the bill? All those in favor of advancement of the bill vote aye, opposed no. Have you all voted? The motion is the advancement of the A bill. Have you all voted? Ready to record the vote? Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Now you are only one vote short. I hate to hassle everybody for one vote. Well, you are two votes short...two. I will get the county attorneys to explain it if it moves.