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LB 308, 304

accepted and done here in about three minutes. I would urge this same policy on about another hundred bills that are left or we aren't going to get to them.

SPEAKER MARVEL: All those in favor of the advancement of the bill vote aye, opposed vote no. I'm sorry, say aye, opposed no. Motion is carried, the bill is advanced. Are you ready for the next bill? 304?

CLERK: Mr. President, before we get to 304, Senator Hoagland would like to print amendments to LB 965 in the Journal. Senator Koch offers explanation of vote.

Mr. President, your committee on E & R respectfully reports that they have carefully examined and reviewed bills 276 and find the same correctly engrossed, and 279 correctly engrossed. (Signed) Senator Wesely, Chairman.

Mr. President, LB 304 was considered by the body yesterday. At that time E & R amendments were adopted. There was an amendment by Senator Koch that was adopted to the bill. Senator Murphy made a motion to indefinitely postpone and that laid the bill over and that is what we now have before us, Mr. President, is the Murphy motion to indefinitely postpone.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the Chair recognizes Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: I am asking this body to indefinitely postpone a bill that is going to mandate that the citizens of this state pay 80% of the cost of educating students from outside this state. There is currently a statute which provides very minimal limitations on what residency is. But those whom we would pension handsomely do need employment and the only way they can maintain it is by filling our institutions with students, even if they have to reach outside the borders of this state to do it. I have no objection to it if those students were paying what it cost for that education. But, they are paying 20% or less of that cost. I can tell by the interest indicated that we are very concerned about the tax situation in this state. I move the adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR CLARK PRESIDING

SENATOR CLARK: Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Chairman, members of the body, it is with reluctance that I argue this bill again in view of the time. We argued this, we spend considerable time on