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who are opposed to the bill as a whole but I am not aware of any nurses who would be opposed to these amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the motion is the adoption of the Kelly motion to return the bill for a specific amendment. All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. This is the fourth motion under item #6. It is the motion by Senator Kelly. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to return, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the motion is carried. The bill has been returned. Now do you move the adoption of the amendment, Senator Kelly?

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. Speaker, LB 847 is a bill that is entered in the Legislature by the Administrative Rules and Regulations Committee as you remember after public hearings in visiting with the Board of Nursing in their procedures to adopt rules and regulations over a five-year period to accomplish their continuing education. The Administrative Rules and Regulations Committee has offered 847 to have the nurses, State Nurses Board, intact move into the umbrella of the Bureau of Examiners in which all other health providers are now doing their licensing and control work which the nurses we would suggest should be along with the physicians, the dentists, the pharmacists, podiatrists, chiropractors, psychologists and so forth. But this amendment specifically writes in words in the Nebraska statute regarding the due process for hearings of revocation of licenses for nursing. You will find it on page 1188 of the Journal, and it is the procedure that the Bureau of Examiners and Department of Health have always used to hear cases of license revocation, and that is what this amendment is for and I move for its adoption.

SPEAKER MARVEL: All in favor of the Kelly motion to adopt the amendment vote aye, opposed vote no. The motion is to adopt the Kelly amendment to 847. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Kelly's motion.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The bill is...the amendment is adopted. Now the motion is to readvance the bill. All those in favor of that motion say aye. Opposed no. The motion is carried. The bill is readvanced. LB 877.