

April 10, 1980

LB 1002

SENATOR MURPHY: Then this will be under an ADM basis?

SENATOR WARNER: It is under an average daily membership with the passage of LB 486 but it is a weighted index, you know, by grade. I think it is kindergarten, one through six, seven through eighth, and nine through twelve, I believe.

SENATOR MURPHY: Fine, fine, thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the motion is the return of the bill. All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. Okay, we are returning the bill for specific amendments. There are about a half a dozen of these. Okay, record the vote.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to return the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the bill is returned. Now, we have Appropriations Committee amendments to adopt. The Clerk will read.

CLERK: Mr. President, they are on page 1728 of the Journal and they have been explained by Senator Warner.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Warner, do you have any comments?

SENATOR WARNER: No, I will move adoption of the amendment. Again I would point out that there are two things we are trying to accomplish here, one of them would be providing appropriate funding for LB 486; number two provides some lessening of property tax by the increase in aid; and three, it is my presumption, and we will know by the time of an override or a better idea, it is my presumption this \$20 million can be added depending on what happens obviously to other appropriations, but could be added without any increase in the sales and/or income tax but it will depend obviously on the total appropriations in other areas, but by the time that we could look at this for override purposes or for that matter on Final Reading, we will have a better idea but we will have a flexibility there I think we need as the amendment is proposed.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Carsten, do you wish to speak to the Warner amendments?

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I would like to ask Senator Warner a question, if I may.