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LB 345

SPEAKER MARVEL: 15 seconds.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: This is a just bill. It is a difficult bill as Senator Chambers points out because very clearly this group of individuals are not popular in our society, and you and I do have to deal with an enormous social problem, too many unwanted children and too many fathers that don't want to pay the support. But just because it is an unpopular problem doesn't mean we should avoid an issue of due process of law.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the adoption of the Vard Johnson amendment to LB 345. Those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Senator Johnson. Record the vote. Record vote has been previously requested.

CLERK: (Read the record vote as found on page 659 of the Legislative Journal.) 13 ayes, 22 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion lost. Are we ready to advance the bill?

CLERK: Yes, sir, I have nothing further on the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Nichol, do you want to advance the bill?

SENATOR NICHOL: Yes, Mr. Chairman, I move that we advance the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is to advance LB 345 to E & R for Engrossment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The bill is advanced. There is about 3 minutes left and in fairness to all involved, I think we will, unless there is a serious objection, skip over 125 and bring it back tomorrow or the next day. We do not have adequate time now. Senator Labeledz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Mr. Speaker, I don't understand, why wouldn't we have enough time, it is only ten till nine?

SPEAKER MARVEL: The agenda is set one hour and we got involved in 345 which took the time.