

SENATOR NICHOL: Have you all voted? Record please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

SENATOR NICHOL: The bill is advanced. We will move on to LB 114.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 114 was offered by Senator Wagner (Read title.) The bill was read on January 13, referred to Public Works for hearing. It was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending by the Public Works committee, Mr. President.

SENATOR NICHOL: Senator Kremer, are you going to take the amendments? Okay.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman, I move the amendments to LB 114. These are strictly technical amendments, not substantive at all. It makes clear the Department of Water Resources has the discretion to require acreage reports from some but not all irrigators in any one given year. Technical in nature only. I move the adoption of the amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL PRESIDING

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 114. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of the committee amendments, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The committee amendment is adopted. Senator Wagner.

SENATOR WAGNER: Mr. Speaker, members, I would move LB 114. A little comment about 114 is really it's a money saver. It is kind of a housecleaning bill for the Department of Water Resources. The bill relates to acreage reports. They essentially mail out something like 6,000 reports each year. Really they only use about 2,000, so really they have 4,000 that they handle, and really there is no necessity for it. What the bill does is give the Department of Water Resources the discretionary power whereby they can go ahead and just essentially ask for the ones that they use. If there are no questions, I would move the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the advancement of 114