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LB 144A, 72

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Maresh, 144A.

SENATOR MARESH: Mr. Speaker, this A bill is needed to fund LB 144. We were, I guess, going to have more bus service in the rural areas so to fund the bill, this LB 144 would allocate \$125,000. I move that this bill be advanced from General File to E & R initial.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Any other discussion? All those in favor of advancing LB 144A to E & R for review vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record vote? The motion is the advancement of LB 144A from General File to E & R initial. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: Mr. President, a record vote has been requested. (Read record vote as found on page 760 of the Legislative Journal.) 28 ayes, 5 nays, 16 not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The bill is advanced. The next bill is LB 72, General File.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 72 was introduced by the Constitutional Revision and Recreation Committee and signed by its members. (Read.) The bill was read on January 9 of this year. It was referred to the Constitutional Revision and Recreation Committee for public hearing. The bill was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending by the Constitutional Committee, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Labedz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you. Are we speaking to the committee amendments?

SPEAKER MARVEL: Yes.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you. Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, the Constitutional Revision and Recreation Committee adopted two amendments. The first amendment, those under sixteen years of age would not have to have a fur harvesting permit to trap or otherwise hunt fur-bearing animals and this conforms with the hunting and fishing permit. The second amendment would be that one could keep a fur-bearing animal or a raw fur for ten days after the permit expires and the reasoning for that is that one is given the ten days because if their permit expires, they still may have some furs to dispose of and if they are not going to renew their permit they are given ten days to dispose of the animal or fur after the permit expires. The fur harvesting permit would allow one to shoot, trap or otherwise take the fur-bearing animal and the season for