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workloads placed on members of the boards of public works and county hospital boards of trustee members by allowing the members the convenience of the facsimile signature. With today's increasing public pressure on utilities and health care institutions to control and limit their costs, we should not block them from using the most cost efficient operating methods available to them. This bill would also delete some language in Section 16-691 which is obsolete since it refers to Section 16-690 which has been repealed for quite some time. We have indicated on a handout to you the provisions of the bill, the intent and the current list of those authorized to use the facsimile signature, and have also included a sample of one of our own checks which means so much to us as salary with two facsimile signatures shown thereon. I move that LB 171 be advanced for E & R Initial.

SENATOR CLARK: The motion before the House is the advancement of LB 171 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Clark voting aye.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted? Record the vote.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: The bill is advanced. I would like to take this opportunity to introduce Miss Nancy Wicks of North Platte, a University of Nebraska student, a constituent and personal friend of the family of Senator Myron Rumery. Where are you? Welcome to the Legislature. We will now take up LB 169 by Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to pass over this bill. I think you have the note up there.

SENATOR CLARK: All right, the bill is passed over. LB 22 by Senator Landis.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 22 was a bill offered by Senator David Landis. (Read title.) The bill was read on January 8 of this year. It was referred to the Public Works Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending by the Public Works Committee, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Kremer, the committee amendments.