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with that institution for a long time. I can't believe we are going to do this because if we do then we should make it applicable in every other case where people are in the practice of hiring for some position. I oppose the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President, members, very briefly, there was another point that I think needs to be made on this that I failed to make earlier. I think the members of this body need to be aware as to what, exactly what they are doing and among that, among what we are doing with this is this would be the first state, in my information that I have, no other state has state origin as part of their hiring discrimination practice. So if we want to be the first state and the only state to include that, then I guess you go ahead and vote for LB 436 but I don't think that is a good practice and I, again, bring it to this body's attention that what we are doing is a very serious, a very serious matter. I oppose the advancement of LB 436.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Rumery, do you wish to close? Do you wish to close, Senator Rumery?

SENATOR RUMERY: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I simply again point out that this adds another phrase to the discriminatory provisions in law already and I would like to answer the problem of inbreeding, and this particular department that I happen to know about, they haven't added a Nebraska graduate since 1973. I fail to see how there would be any inbreeding with that few people on the staff. Mr. President, I move the advancement of the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, Senator Rumery was closing. The motion is the advancement of LB 436. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no.

SENATOR KAHLE PRESIDING

SENATOR KAHLE: Please vote. Please vote. Senator Rumery, what do you want to do with it? Record.

CLERK: 6 ayes, 20 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR KAHLE: The bill lost. The next bill is LB 241.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I may, right before that, your committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined LB 59 and find the same correctly