

May 1, 1981

LB 544, 303

SENATOR CLARK: Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: The bill is advanced. The next bill is 303. Is there anyone prepared to take that bill? It is Senator Beutler's bill. Senator Koch, are you prepared to take 303?

SENATOR KOCH: Yes, Senator Beutler has requested that I handle it in case we got to it today and I will.

SENATOR CLARK: All right, the Clerk will read.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I may, LB 303 (read title). It was originally read on January 19, referred to the Education Committee for hearing. The bill was advanced to General File with committee amendments attached, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: On the committee amendments, Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Because it is...the whole purpose of the bill is to correct some problems we have when school boards have vacancies and Senator Beutler's bill brings about a uniform procedure and we follow in the school boards primarily what we follow in our own cases here. In case there is an appointment, then the next election you would run and that is the way the procedure goes. It is uniform for all systems except the Class Is. As you know the Class I schools presently have an annual meeting and by caucus select the members of those boards. In this case it says in case of vacancy the board members will appoint the person who will serve until the next annual meeting at which time he would continue that position or someone would replace that person. So that is what LB 303 is about and I ask for adoption of the amendment and the advance of the bill to E & R Initial.

SENATOR CLARK: Is there any discussion on the committee amendments? If not, all those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Voting aye.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting aye.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted on the committee amendments. Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the committee amendments.