

kind of a long-term impact they are acquiring and I can start a lot of lists of programs that started out very modestly or even with legislation prohibiting any general fund in which we are today spending hundreds of thousands of dollars. Now this program, based upon superintendents of Class VI schools, apparently from Sioux County, Keyapaha, Gordon and Kimball County, two of which this year indicate they expected interest but all four of them next year and their estimated cost as the bill is now drafted ranged from 54 to 92 thousand, depending on the number of students, and the only issue I am raising is that when a new program is started then you ought to be well aware of the probable fiscal impact that it is going to have and it seems to me that one of the ways barring the second, third and fourth year appropriation for guideline is to put that limit, the financial dollar limit into the statute itself so that it can then be considered by subsequent legislatures as a separate item as opposed to the way the bill is going across now. For good fiscal control I think that the amendment is appropriate and, again, it has absolutely nothing to do with the quality or the purpose of the enabling legislation. That is not my argument. My sole argument is that if all this is to cost is this minute sum, then the Legislature is entitled to believe that that is the amount that will be the cost of the future and not anywhere from ten to twenty times that amount as indicated by the survey from superintendents themselves. I would urge the amendment be adopted.

SENATOR CLARK: The question is the adoption of the Warner amendment to LB 165. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted on the adoption of the Warner amendment?

CLERK: Senator Clark voting no.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted on the adoption of the Warner amendment? We have two people excused. Once more, have you all voted on the adoption of the amendment? Record the vote. We can't hold it forever. Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: (Mike not turned on immediately.) ...a roll call vote and I would like first to have each person indicate presence because we are all supposed to be in our seats but I do not believe everyone is.

SENATOR CLARK: Clear the board. Everyone record your presence please. Senator Fowler, would you check in please. Senator Fenger, Senator Haberman. Senator Marsh, Senator Haberman is the only one missing. Do you want to go ahead w' the roll call? Call the roll.