

May 18, 1981

LB 412

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, we go to item #6, General File priorities, LB 412.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 412 (read title). The bill was first read on January 20 of this year. It was referred to the Revenue Committee for hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. On April 6th of this year the committee amendments were adopted. There was an amendment by Senator Warner that was adopted to the bill and there was an amendment by Senator Newell that was adopted on May 13. I now have pending a motion by Senator Warner.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Newell, do you wish to explain your bill?

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President, it is the greenbelt law, basically. It has been discussed by this body a couple of times before. It presently stands as the major point of contention the interest rate. The bill stands at ten percent now. Senator Warner thinks it ought to be six and that is basically it. I will do more in opposition to the Warner amendment when my opportunity comes.

CLERK: Mr. President, I now have pending an amendment from Senator Warner. Senator Warner, do you want to take up your amendment? Okay.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I would like to temporarily withdraw that amendment and take up a motion to bracket the bill until next session. If that fails, I will pick up the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Warner would move to bracket LB 412 until the 1982 session.

SENATOR WARNER: My reasons for suggesting it are two, first, that under the bill as proposed and under existing law the date has already passed when these are to be applied for. The bill as it stands requires application to be made by May 1st and, obviously, May 1st has come and went, and on that basis since there is no, really no need to consider the legislation this session in view of the calendar, I would suggest we pass over, to bracket the bill to be taken up when we come back in January, thus allocating what time this bill might take to other legislation that perhaps has a greater need to be considered this session. So I move the bill be bracketed.