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LB 570, 572, 664

Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries and LB 664 is advanced to E & R initial. The Chair recognizes Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, at this time I would move that the engrossing of LB 664 be expedited. As Senator Lamb pointed out the Nebraska School for the Deaf intends to honor Mr. Peterson this Saturday and for that reason I need to move this bill through as quickly as I can.

PRESIDENT: We can get unanimous consent. You don't have to move. Do you want to ask for that first?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: I would ask for unanimous consent, Mr. Speaker.

PRESIDENT: All right, a request for unanimous consent. Is there any objection? Hearing none, so ordered.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: We are now ready for agenda item #7 on motions. We begin with LB 570. Senator Vickers.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Vickers moves that LB 570 be rereferred from the Revenue Committee to the Education Committee pursuant to Rule 6, Section 2(a).

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President and members, LB 570 and LB 572 both deal with a situation which came about as a result of a bill we passed in this body I think a couple of years ago, one that changed the valuation proceedings for real estate from 35% to 50% or from 35% to 100% and at the same time we neglected, it was just an oversight on our part, to change the amount of in lieu of tax payments that the Board of Educational Lands and Funds pay on the school lands from 50% up to an appropriate figure that would have included more than the 100% probably because that's what the determination had been made in the past. So as a result there are several school districts in this state that have school lands within their boundaries that are facing a very severe financial situation right now because they had budgeted those monies but are now not getting them. Now the reason these two bills were introduced as I say was to rectify the mistake that this body had made.