ing at nine o'clock underneath the North balcony.

Mr. President, Senator Fowler would like unanimous consent to add his name to LB 628 as cointroducer and Senator Stoney as cointroducer to LB 607.

SPEAKER MARVEL: If no objections, so ordered.

CLERK: And finally, Mr. President, I have a gubernatorial confirmation hearing report submitted by the Revenue Committee and that is signed by Senator Carsten. (See page 225 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, Mr. Clerk, do you want to proceed.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator DeCamp asks unanimous consent to pass over LB 126.

SPEAKER MARVEL: As per our definition of passover, so ordered.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Fowler would like to pass over 115 and 115A.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Hearing no objection, so ordered. Senator Kilgarin, do you want 440 taken up now? Okay.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 440 introduced by Senator Kilgarin. (Read title.) The bill was read on January 20, referred to the Education Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending by the Education Committee, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Vickers, as vice chairman, do you want to take up the amendments on LB 440? Senator Koch, do you want to take up the amendments to 440?

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I move for the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 440.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Haberman, your light is on.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Yes, I want to speak to the bill but I would like to have the amendments explained.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, this is a very complicated amendment that the committee offered. What it does was to make sure that it was permissive on behalf of the boards and not mandatory. I ask for the adoption of the amendment the second time.