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in favor of this change. The State Fire Marshal doesn't care a whole lot about it and this probably is sort of a silly arrangement at this time but I am looking down the road to have a little foresight as to what we really need to do at this area and I think what you will see is a major change in the works that should be incorporated at some time in the near future that will just be harder to incorporate with this change that is proposed in 490.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Goodrich, do you wish to close?

SENATOR GOODRICH: Just to make two, a couple of points here, one of which, to reiterate there is no fiscal impact whatsoever, inspite of what Senator Wesely said. We are not creating a new agency as Senator Wesely said. The Governor has no objection to the bill. I personally talked to him. The State Fire Marshal and the Director of the department itself are both sitting over here side-by-side, if you want to ask either one of them any questions. The objective of this bill is to smooth out the administrative function that the State Electrical Board and the Fire Marshal handles and there is no validity to Senator Wesely's objections so I say nothing further than just to advance the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the advancement of 490. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting aye.

SENATOR CLARK: Record the vote.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 2 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: The bill is declared advanced. LB 444.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a request from Senator Kahle, who is Chairman of the committee, to pass over LB 444.

SENATOR CLARK: LB 444 is passed over. LB 542.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 542 was a bill offered by Senator Schmit. (Title read.) The bill was read on February 2 of last year. It was referred to the Agriculture and Environment Committee for public hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. I have no amendments to the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Schmit on the bill.