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LB 606, 579

SENATOR RUMERY: Why is it that you have suggested that the Department of Health do this auditing? I would assume the State Auditor ought to do that, is this correct?

SENATOR KREMER: The bill was brought to me by the funeral directors, and since the jurisdiction of these trust funds is under the Department of Health, it is thought it is just feasible that they be given that authority rather than the Auditor.

SENATOR RUMERY: Thank you.

SENATOR CLARK: Is there any further debate? Any further closing?

SENATOR KREMER: No closing.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the advancement of 606. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Record the vote.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: The bill is advanced. The next bill is 579.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 579 (read title). The bill was read on January 6 of this year, referred to Public Works Committee for hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. There are committee amendments by the Public Works Committee.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Kremer on the Public Works Committee amendments.

SENATOR KREMER: Yes, I will attempt to explain the amendment. The way the bill was written there was a question as to where the money should go to the entire assessment for the prestige license plates and the amendment clears that up and it says the regular registration fee shall continue to go to the county, but the fifty dollars for the prestige plate shall go to the Department. I move the adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: Any discussion on the amendments? If not, all those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay.