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LB 421, 431

SENATOR CLARK: We are voting on the adoption of the Schmit amendment to 421. Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 3 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to adopt the Schmit amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: The amendment is adopted. Now the re-advancement of the bill. All those in favor say aye. Opposed. The bill is readvanced. Do you have anything further on the bill? We will now take up 431.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a series of motions on LB 431. The first would be by Senator Fenger. I believe Senator Fenger might....do you want to withdraw that one, Senator, or not?

SENATOR FENGER: I don't believe there is a motion filed on it. There was an amendment printed but there was never a motion filed to return the bill.

CLERK: That is true. You don't want your amendments though, Senator, is that right?

SENATOR FENGER: That's right.

CLERK: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR CLARK: The next amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, in that case I now have a motion from Senator Newell to return the bill to Select File for a specific amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Newell, on the return of the bill.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President and members of the body, I move to return LB 431 for a specific amendment. The specific amendment would basically clarify the credit card issue and it would do it this way. It would say that a credit card can be used only in an establishment with 50 percent or more of its sales...of its income deriving from the sale of food and if the credit card is approved by the Commission. The purpose of this amendment is to tighten up the language and to create a situation where we can use credit cards like at a hotel for if you have also food or alcohol purchased along with food and you pay the bill, you can use that method to do that if the credit card is approved by the Commission. It is a very tight proposal and provision to straighten