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LB 368, 578A

be that would want to do business in this state, a small price to pay for the kind of protection offered by this bill. I would appreciate your support.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion on LB 578A? If not, all those in favor of advancing the bill vote yes, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 578A.

PRESIDENT: The motion prevails and LB 578A is advanced. LB 368.

CLERK: 368 was a bill that was introduced by Senator Beutler. (Title read.) The bill was read on January 18, referred to Judiciary, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this is a little procedures bill. The Department of Administrative Services has a process by which they hear claims, certain kinds of claims, and they usually just deny them by letter, but the court has indicated to them that they need more elaborate procedures and what they are putting in place are procedures. They are not unusual procedures in any way. These appeal procedures are basically adopting the Administrative Procedures Act which are the appeals procedures that are in place for all other state agencies. So in terms of effect, basically the only change in the law, it may add some procedures to the law, but the only change it would make with regard to existing law other than that would be simply to allow a longer period of time for the filing of the appeal from 20 days to 30 days. Move the advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion on LB 368? If not, all those in favor of advancing the bill vote yes, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance LB 368, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 368 is advanced. Senator Scofield has