

March 28, 1985

LB 209A, 269A  
LR 4

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I would just ask for a record vote and close it. No point in spending time.

PRESIDENT: Record vote has been called for. And again the Chair will ask you to record your vote on the motion of Senator Warner to place LR 4 on General File notwithstanding committee action. Please record your vote. Have you all voted? Record vote has been called for. Will you take the vote, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: 20 ayes, 21 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the motion.

PRESIDENT: The motion fails and I go now to General File, some A bills to be taken up. LB 209A.

CLERK: Mr. President, 209A offered by Senator Jacklyn Smith. (Read title.)

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President and members of the body, LB 209 which you have already passed from General to Select File provides for new licensing procedures for hospitals. This attached A bill would provide the Department of Health with the staff to carry out 209. An amendment we attached to 209 increased the fees that hospitals pay and that increased fee more than pays for the general fund impact of 209. What I am saying is that the combination of the increased fee under 209 and this bill provide us with a net gain for the general fund. The increased fee will bring in \$23,850 to the General Fund. The A bill will cost the general fund \$9,856. So there will be a net gain of \$13,994 and I thereby urge the adoption of the A bill.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion on LB 209A? If not, the motion is to advance 209A from General File. All those in favor vote yes, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 209A.

PRESIDENT: LB 209A is advanced. We now take up LB 269A.

CLERK: 269A by Senator Vard Johnson. (Read title.)