

call vote, I will make the statements without really having the facts that those who voted yes are the ones that already have it because those who voted no don't have it. So what this body is doing is they are telling the western part of the state and the people who don't have it, we don't care what you want, we want you to have it. They are imposing their will, the Lincoln senators and the Omaha senators or what have you, Grand Island, you name it, they are imposing their will on our constituents when we don't want something. Now I want you to think about that. I want you to think what you did and I want you to think what you're going to do when you pass this A bill because, mind you, I'm going to keep track and in three or four years when we come back and I bring up to you, hey, it's costing a lot more than \$10,000, you're going to say, well, that was three or four years ago, inflation and all that has taken care of it. I'll ask you not to advance the A bill but it isn't going to do any good. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: (Response inaudible.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. Speaker, I understand Senator Haberman's concerns, but the fiscal office has looked at this. They said that this was a reasonable figure. The money comes out of the retirement funds that are generated from this bill. It is self-administered. There is no general fund money. There is no chance it will ever get to the general fund. We never do that with retirement systems. They are all self-funded so there is really no problem. I'd ask support for the bill.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Haberman, did you wish to speak again on the bill? Senator Wesely, would you like to close? Okay, the question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. This is the A bill. Have you all voted on the advancement of the A bill? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 7 nays on the motion to advance the A bill, Mr. President. (See page 1581 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: The A bill is advanced. May I introduce