

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion on committee amendments to LB 608? If not, the motion is to adopt the committee amendments. All those in favor vote yes, opposed vote no. May we have your cooperation on the committee amendments, please. All those in favor of adopting the committee amendments please record your vote. The motion is to adopt the committee amendments. May we have the attention and cooperation of members so that we may record your vote. Motion is the adoption of committee amendments to LB 608. Please record your vote. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of committee amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: The committee amendments are adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Schmit, would you like to take up your amendment now, Senator, or go to the bill?

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit.

CLERK: Senator Schmit's amendment, Mr. President, to the bill is found on page 1566 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, the amendment which I offer you today is one which I had originally intended to have in the bill, but which inadvertently, through my error, not anyone else's error, was not a part of the original language. The amendment restores the minimum provision of \$49.00 per week, as is the present minimum provision rather than the \$82.00 (sic) which I have in the bill. I feel that that is not unreasonable because of the fact that many of the people who come under the provisions of the act are part-time workers, earning only a very small amount of money. To do the...to raise the minimum to the \$80.00 is really an unjust reward for efforts that have not been paid for. So I would like to ask you to adopt the amendment. Then I would like to go on to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Motion on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Jim Goll would move to amend