

LR 294, introduced by Senator Pappas, which has been under discussion. Please record your vote. Members, do you wish to vote on LR 294? Please record your vote. We are in the process of voting for the adoption of LR 294. If members wish to vote for or against this resolution, please do so. Have you all voted? Have you all cast your vote? Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays on adoption of LR 294, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The resolution is adopted. Now LR 295.

CLERK: 295 was offered by Senator Pappas. It is also...it is found on page 2631. It commemorates the work of the Indian Affairs Commission.

PRESIDENT: Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS: Mr. President, colleagues, this resolution salutes and commends the Indian Commission. Before I give other people opportunities to speak on this, one thing I might add that has been kind of overlooked a little bit on some people, these aren't something to more or less humiliate the commissions that aren't going to be here. People have to realize that cuts are very, very painful. I'm quite sure it would be very, very painful for the Appropriations Committee to even recommend these cuts and cuts are never easy to make. That is one of the reasons why this legislative body, in the past, has never made cuts when it deals with agencies or commissions. But we can go back a little further and Senator Vickers mentioned the safety inspection thing, and we also got rid of the Post Secondary Education Commission here a couple of weeks ago and there weren't too many tears cried over that. Now maybe they are in a completely different category, and the same thing with the vet college. We basically eliminated that. But I think that these are things that need to be done. A few things need to be said about these particular agencies and I welcome the chance to let others speak about them.

PRESIDENT: There is an amendment on this motion.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senators DeCamp, Vard Johnson and Chambers would move to amend the resolution. (See pages 2693-94 of the Legislative Journal.)