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LB 1129

PRESIDENT: Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Senator Chambers, I just want to make something clear. Are you stripping 1129 of the present material in it, the retirement material in it, before we put the retirement material in it, and if so then you have got a bill with nothing in it, and does that automatically kill it?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No. What the amendment says is that you strike all of the existing sections of LB 1129 and substitute.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Okay, you are doing that all at once.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, that will all be done at once.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Okay, then that will work.

PRESIDENT: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Question.

PRESIDENT: I think I will ask Senator Pirsch if she wants a matter of clarification or comment.

SENATOR PIRSCH: No, I want to rise in opposition to this proposal to strip 1129 and substitute the senators' retirement. I will go into greater length because I have a feeling that this is all cut and dried, all decided among the majority of you as a slick way to put in a senators' retirement. I am opposed to it. I think 1129 should remain the way it was on General and Select and be voted on Final Reading without any chicanery and I think that, and I have a motion to return LB 325 to Select File to strip the senators' retirement bill. We will talk about that at that time. I oppose this movement to strip LB 1129 and put in the senators' retirement.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I have a question of the Speaker, if he will yield.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. Speaker, according to my book 1129 isn't a priority bill and so I am wondering why it is on the agenda. I