

of their request next year, or at least it could not occur until the Legislature had approved an appropriation bill. There is another salary adjustment, Equal Opportunity Commission, which allows for the retention of a federally funded field representative if those federal funds come. Then there is some safety net language. LB 1095, one of the bill introduced which eliminated the expenses for art council members, \$4,300. What the language does, and we have this numerous places in the bill where there is other legislation pending. But if the bill fails...or if it passes then the money is not appropriated. But if the bill fails it is appropriated. Obviously that is necessary to do. Then in the...there are a number of amendments which are in...the next one deals with economic development. Again, these are some salary limit adjustments, all of which are reclassifications or promotions or end of probation adjustments. By and large those are cash funds. In fact they...I guess they all are. The next one is again a salary adjustment in environmental control in their salary limit, again reflecting federal funding. Then there is language that will clarify as far as health insurance for state employees. It retains the same concept as we had last year, but allows a separate identification for those employees that are not covered by Blue Cross-Blue Shield, which is the way it was last year, but it makes it clear that those are separate. I move adoption of all the amendments.

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the Warner amendment. I assume that was your opening and closing, Senator Warner. The question is the adoption of the Warner amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The amendment is adopted. Do you have another one?

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment is by Senator Sieck. Senator, I understand you want to withdraw this amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator