

April 9, 1992

LB 1019, 1019A, 1063A

CLERK: I have nothing further pending on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Warner, would you like to move to advance the bill?

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move that LB 1063A be advanced to E & R for engrossment.

SPEAKER BAACK: You've heard the motion to advance LB 1063A. All those in favor say aye. Opposed no. It is advanced. We will now proceed to LB 1019.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a priority motion. That motion is by Senator Wickersham. Senator Wickersham would move to bracket LB 1019 until April 16, 1992.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am moving to bracket LB 1019 and I've also filed a bracket motion on LB 1019A, because I do not believe it is appropriate for the body at this time to take up the matters that are set forth in AM4288. And I've previously expressed to Senator Wesely that if he will withdraw the amendment, I would withdraw the bracket motions. As I see it, parts of AM4288 are controversial and in part I think that even, as we have been stretching germaneness recently, parts of it are not germane, probably in a purely constitutional sense. And I would not wish to be a party to jeopardizing what I would see as beneficial aspects of 1019 or even beneficial aspects of some of what is in AM4288. I think there has to be a limit to what we're indulging ourselves in here and, as far as I'm concerned, I have reached that limit.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Wickersham. Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members, I understand the frustration level some members have expressed regarding where we're at in the session. I suppose part of the reason you have a package before you like this is a reflection from some of us with frustration as well that some worthy issues are not going to be addressed without some effort like this. The package...and I want to go over this so you understand what's before you, and then we'll decide whether we proceed or not.