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SPEAKER: Senator Lewis do you care to respond?

SENATOR LEWIS: Well Mr. Speaker, members of the legislature, I was the lone descending vote on this piece of legislation as I read the bill and heard the discussion, it seemed to me that it dealt not with a general SID problem but with a specific and to be effective and under this legislation it almost had to be a district adjacent to a water way. My concern was that the minority group, the people who had property subject to obligation bonds within this district that were not adjacent to the water way, probably would have the same costs with little or no benefit, and I was concerned about the rights of appeal, I visited with Senator Cavanaugh about this and he assures me that in this specific instance, that there is no one to be put in a position of not benefiting from this and so I'm going to waive any criticism of the legislation that I might of had.

SPEAKER: Once again is there any further discussion of the bill? Senator Cavanaugh what is your pleasure?

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Mr. President I move that the bill be advanced to E&R for initial.

SPEAKER: The motion is to advance LB 245 from general file to E&R initial as amended, all those in favor will vote aye, all those opposed will vote no. The motion is to advance LB 245 as amended, have you all voted, advancing LB 245? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, no nays, 20 not voting Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced.

CLERK: Mr. President we have a request from Senator DeCamp to be excused at 11:15.

SPEAKER: Is there any, are there any objections to Senator DeCamp's absence, hearing none so ordered. That brings up the general file debate of LB 112, Senator Marsh's bill.

CLERK: Title Read LB 112.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. Speaker I would like to ask that this be held until Tuesday, I have an amendment I would like to have printed in the journal.

SPEAKER: Senator Marsh is asking unanimous consent that the bill be held until Tuesday of next week, so that she can have a, something printed in the journal. Are there any objections to that? If not so ordered. LB 191. Senator Marsh do you have some amendments there that you want printed? L

CLERK: Title Read LB 191.

SPEAKER: Senator Luedtke.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President I move that LB 191 be advanced to E&R for review. Mr. President and members of the legislature, LB 191 clarifies a matter which follows a bill we passed last session, which stated that any state employees or employees of municipal courts, police departments or what have you are witnesses, would not obtain a witness fee, if they were just on duty, in other words, if they were in their own home town, or on duty, however, it went beyond that point and implied that if they are called out of the city, that they would also be caught in the situation of not being able to be reimbursed for travel. So