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SENATOR BARNETT: Well that's right, I would say that you don't take anything away from the Department of Institutions Director, he can still remove an employee, but like any other state agency, if they are removed by the agency head, they can appeal, if they think they have been wronged to the Department of Personnel. The Department of Institutions employees cannot do that. They are required to appeal back to the person that removed them, which doesn't make much sense.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Except that who's better able to make the choice.

SENATOR BARNETT: Well if you want that, then you should have all state employees under the same direction, this is the only agency that is under the direction and appeal to his own agency head.

SENATOR GOODRICH: What would be wrong with that.

SENATOR BARNETT: I wouldn't agree with it.

SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes Senator Cal Carstens.

SENATOR CAL CARSTENS: Mr. President, a point of information, did I understand the Chair to say that we didn't need a vote for reconsideration on this, is that what you said?

SPEAKER: Well the Chair has just ruled that in order for us to just to reconsider the bill that we didn't need a vote on that yes.

SENATOR CARSTENS: Oh, okay.

SPEAKER: Because the bill failed to advance, it isn't as if the bill had taken a step and then needed to come back and to be reconsidered or the vote needed to be reconsidered, on the action, nothing happened from the action. Is there any further discussion of Senator Barnett's LB 100? Any further discussion of LB 100 at this time? Senator Barnett do you have any closing then, very good. The question is shall LB 100 be advanced from general file to E&R initial, all those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. We are voting on the advancement of Senator Barnett's LB 100, once again have you all voted. The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced. Do we have other business on the desk?

CLERK: Yes.

SPEAKER: Quite an amount or limited?

CLERK: I ask unanimous consent to be excused on Monday, February 12th, signed Senator Marsh.

SPEAKER: Are there objections? Hearing none, so ordered.

CLERK: Also Senator Epke.

SPEAKER: Are there objections to Senator Epke's absence, was that on Monday?

CLERK: Yes.

SPEAKER: Are there objections? Hearing none, so ordered.