

anything. I'm afraid you're going to upset your program of 1084 of a year ago.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well then, I'd ask to pass over the bill and I'll attempt to find an answer to that and instead of having the amendment as it now is, I'll attempt to raise by an amendment, the value above \$15,000 to accomplish the same purpose.

PRESIDENT: Senator Burbach.

SENATOR BURBACH: Senator Carpenter, I, I don't care how, what approach you take but I'm just pointing out, if Senator Syas was here, we'd have the answer. I'm sorry I'm not a Senator Syas.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I appreciate your suggestion, Senator. I cannot answer your question obviously, but if there is a better way to do the same thing, I'll attempt to do that. I move we pass it over until Wednesday.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to pass over LB 114 until Wednesday. Are there objections to passing over the bill? Hearing none, so ordered, 114 is held over until Wednesday.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Maresh asked unanimous consent to consider LB 546. Senator Maresh asked unanimous consent to consider 546.

PRESIDENT: Senator Maresh is asking unanimous consent to consider LB 546. Are there objections? Any objections to hearing 546? Hearing none, so ordered, we'll take it up then. Senator Maresh.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 546 (read) There are no amendments of any nature.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Maresh.

SENATOR MARESH: Mr. President and Members of the Legislature. What this bill does, it updates the enactment date of LB 173 which we passed through here this session. That bill stated that this will come into effect September 1, 1974 and this will update it one year and I think it's important in the light of, at the present time there is an increase in rubella in the State and I think it would be good if we would expedite this bill so, while the school term is still on that this could be called to the attention of the parents to get this program initiated. At the present time there are Federal funds available which the public, the Nebraska State Health Department is afraid will be curtailed by 1974 due to Federal funding being cut and I think it would be good to get this bill passed early so this could be called to the attention of the parents so this immunization will take place. I move that the bill be advanced to #&R initial.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion now of LB 546? Chair recognizes Senator Whitney.

SENATOR WHITNEY: I don't like to throw a damper on this but I don't have a statement in here from the chairman of the department. The Chairman of the Public Health Committee. I thought we had to have statements here. I'd like to ask the Chair, don't you have to have a statement in the book before we can take it up?

CLERK: There's no statement prepared--

PRESIDENT: Chair's not aware of that.

CLERK: --if the bill doesn't have a public hearing, no.