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PRESIDENT: Do we have a bill for introduction. I think the intent has been passed out now on Senator Cavanaugh's bill.

CLERK: A motion, Mr. President, as previous being considered I move the introduction of the attached bill (Signed) Senator Cavanaugh

PRESIDENT: Senator Cavanaugh what is your pleasure regarding your bill here?

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Will the rules be suspended and the bill be introduced. The statement of intent is now on the desk.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion to suspend the rules and introduce the bill. Senator Dickinson for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR DICKINSON: Mr. Speaker I was just outside. Is this the one from Senator Waldron's committee?

PRESIDENT: The bill we are talking about? Yes, I believe it from Senator Waldron's committee.

SENATOR DICKINSON: Does this take unanimous consent for introduction?

PRESIDENT: Not unanimous, no. You can't introduce it that way. It takes 30 votes to suspend the rules and introduce the bill.

(End Belt #4)

(Start Belt #5)

SENATOR DICKINSON: Well I want to object the introduction. I hope it doesn't get the 30 votes. I don't know what is going on here, but I'm sure that none of the Senators that represent the area of Eastern Nebraska Technical College have been contacted a bit about this bill. I don't know what prompted it or where it came from. But I surely think that those of us who have interest in this area should know something about it, and should have been talked to probably. There is #5. I want to call everybody's attention to #5 in the intent of this bill. This Legislature would direct the metropolitan governing board to plan the construction of a Technical Community College on specific land in the South Omaha Industrial Tract. Now I think this is taking a lot into our hands to even suggest it in an statement of intent. So I oppose the introduction of this bill.

PRESIDENT: The chair recognizes Senator Skarda.

SENATOR SKARDA: Members of the body. I spent 15 years in this body. In my knowledge I have never asked for any exaggerating amounts. Or special favor consideration. This is one motion as to what Senator Dickinson made vitally object to. What his personal opinions are to not having the knowledge of what is involved in the bill. I happen to be one of the eastern Senators that vitally interested in this. Senator Mahoney, Senator Cavanaugh and others that have known and maybe taken Senator Dickinson's