

LB592

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PRESIDENT: Will the Legislature please come to order, we are ready for prayer by Chaplain Palmer.

CHAPLAIN: (Prayer given)

PRESIDENT: Roll Call. Have you all indicated your presence? Clerk will record. Are there corrections for the journal?

CLERK: None.

PRESIDENT: Excellent. Do we have notices for committee hearings or reports?

CLERK: Mr. President, (Refer journal page 618, 619)

PRESIDENT: Do you have an announcement there on the desk to make?

CLERK: Mr. President, we have been asked to announce that there is a buzzer system hooked up to all the senators offices which we can buzz from this telephone and apparently it has been buzzed a few times and nobody knew for sure what the buzzer was buzzing about. So anyway if your office gets an unaccounted for buzzer it is because there is a Call of the House in the Chamber. Well that.. (laughter)

PRESIDENT: Well thank you for standing by. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business I have signed LB323, 598, 609, 611, 626, 653, 703 and in conclusion 704, excuse me 117 in conclusion. Do we have any other announcements on the desk?

CLERK: None.

PRESIDENT: We are ready then for the bills on Final Reading of which there are two today, beginning with LB592 and 806, are there any motions on those bills?

CLERK: Mr. President, we have a request to bracket LB592, signed Senator Nore.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Nore for his motion to bracket.

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President and members, I ask unanimous consent to bracket 592, I don't think the bill is workable in the primary it would be impossible if we only have two filing for the school board in the class 3 district and you had a death, it would be impossible to have a right in in the primary and as a statement of policy that I think folks running for school board, if there are only two, this would expose themselves in the primary like we all have to do so I would suggest that we hold the bill and bracket it and hoping that we can remove the Murphy amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Nore is asking unanimous consent to bracket 592 on Final Reading. Senator Murphy, are there objections then. Now Senator Murphy?

SENATOR MURPHY: Senator Nore of course is referring to his bill, LB435, which deals with District 66 deals with a Class 3 school which is a part of the metropolitan city. Now actually 435, if we want to talk about vehicles, is a little bit of a conflict in itself. In the initial pages it says that they members shall be elected and the primary and in the final sections it says that they shall be elected in the general. This bill deals with Class 3 school districts and we have 204 in the state of Nebraska. As I stated before in my district alone in ten years we have never had more than two candidates. Now to ask a school board candidate, we are not electing the President of the United States, but to ask the school board to pay the expense of running the school board candidate in the primary needlessly and again in the general is an extreme waste