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PRESIDENT: Well, could you read the amendment?

CLERK: This is on page 1298 of the Legislative Journal. It reads as follows. Clerk read.

PRESIDENT: Senator Richendifer.

SENATOR RICHENDIFER: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature. This is a followup bill on LB131. What it does is it removes the dollars from the Highway Patrol's account on state deputies for Indian affairs and actually makes it an A bill for funding of LB131. I move for adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Any discussion? Those in favor of adopting the amendment vote aye. Those opposed vote nay. Voting aye. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, Mr. President. Now, Mr. President....

PRESIDENT: The motion is adopted.

CLERK: There are a series of amendments offered by Senator Carpenter. The first one appears on page 1296 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: Clerk will read.

CLERK: They're rather long. I'll be glad to read them, Mr. President. Clerk read amendments.

(End of Belt 5)

(Begin Belt 6)

CLERK: Continue reading amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Terry Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Time to read all the amendment because most of it is just new matter. Old matter rather. Unless the Body wants it. It's been distributed to you and it's in the Journal. I'd just as soon explain it unless you want it read. I have no objection to reading it.

PRESIDENT: Anybody want it read? Go ahead, it's on page 1296 of the Journal. We'll have Senator Carpenter explain it.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Now, Mr. President, I passed out this morning or had passed out this morning a pamphlet which was, I obtained from the tax commissioner's office this morning, which is entitled to be a statement of audit assessments and the amount of the collections. This bill proposes to give to the tax commissioner an appropriation of a million dollars, \$250,000 to be earmarked for the auditing of sales taxes. And \$750,000 to be appropriated for the auditing of income taxes. On the corporation level, it also provides for a salary scale which they can go up to CPA's to the extent they might believe they need them in order to be on the same par with those who they are going to audit, I hope. If you go to this pamphlet on the second page, you go down....let's go to the sales tax first. The sales tax as a result of the