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I think we should work on this and try to come up with a solution.

PRESIDENT: Senator Burbach. Alright. The question is to lay.... Is that a request for unanimous consent, Senator Kremer? Is there an objection? Seeing none, it's so ordered. The matter will be laid over until Monday.

Select File, LB 434. Oh. 690, alright.

CLERK: Read title to LB 690. Mr. President, LB 690 was returned to Select File by ... no it was just advanced to Select File. There are E & R amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Dworak. 690.

SENATOR DWORAK: Are there amendments?

PRESIDENT: Yes.

SENATOR DWORAK: I move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 690.

PRESIDENT: All in favor say aye, contrary say nay. They are adopted.

CLERK: Now, Mr. President, I have some other amendments. The first amendment is offered by Senator George. It's found on page 1227 of the Legislative Journal. Amend the Goodrich amendment printed in page 1184 of the Journal. (Read rest of amendment).

PRESIDENT: Senator George.

SENATOR GEORGE: Mr. President, members of this body. I have looked around a little bit. I think this is the only provision we have left where we left, I believe, seven percent open to the governing board or, as it is usually done by deans of colleges to distribute the seven percent of the salary increase. Experience, at least from the reports that I got, has shown here is 1. absolutely no way that you can separate administrative salaries from the actual salaries of the teaching faculty. There seem to be increases always due on the upper levels and on the administrative levels. Remember, a few days ago we did discuss for quite awhile the quality of undergraduate education. I think one aspect of that is that we have good teachers. The teacher that really has the load is that young assistant professor or instructor that we hired. He has the lowest salary, he has the highest class load. He is the one that has to perish.

I think we should see that the lower salaries are the ones that will get the increase. Therefore, I'm offering this amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Koch.