

CLERK: Read LB 344. There are committee amendments by Senator Hasebroock's Retirement Committee.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Chair recognizes Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Senator Hasebroock, the Chairman of the Retirement Committee, and Senator Lewis, vice-chairman, neither are here. So they asked me to take this bill. I believe Senator Warner, Senator Goodrich and Senator Fowler are here, the members of the committee. This...we would ask you to adopt the committee amendments.

SENATOR SAVAGE: If there is no discussion, the question is... Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: Senator Mills, there seems to be a rather large gray area as to the fiscal impact of this and I'm curious to know how many judges are affected, what the cost of the state in changing horses in midstream in this particular plan is going to be.

SENATOR MILLS: OK, Senator Murphy, I was going to explain that. I was trying to adopt the committee amendments which we're changing the word "accrued", changing the word from the number "1994" to the year "2000" therefore changing the fiscal note. I would like to explain it. Adopt the amendments first if you wouldn't mind.

SENATOR SAVAGE: If there is no further discussion, the question is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Please vote.

CLERK: Savage voting aye.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays.

SENATOR SAVAGE: The amendments are adopted.

CLERK: Now Mr. President, Senator Hasebroock has another amendment, to add the emergency clause.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, it was felt by the committee that because of the matter contained within 344 and the way that it should be taken care of that the emergency clause should be put on it. I'd ask you to adopt the emergency clause.

SENATOR SAVAGE: If there's no discussion, the question is the adoption of the emergency clause. All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Please vote.

CLERK: Senator Savage voting aye.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Chair recognizes Senator Mills.