

CLERK: Now, Mr. President, LB 539. There are E & R amendments.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. I move the E & R amendments to LB 539 be adopted.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Motion is to adopt the E & R amendments to LB 539. Any discussion? All those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. The E & R amendments to LB 539 are adopted.

CLERK: Alright now, Mr. President, there is a series of other amendments. The first amendment is offered by Senator Warner, Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, it's found on page 1746 of the Legislative Journal. (Read amendment).

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Warner. LB 539, Senator Warner, amendments.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the amendment. There was a request from the Department of Education for some General Fund money in relation to the high school drug program that had been funded through the Commission on Drugs at one time, or still is. Anyway there was concern, by the Department of Education that because this program is conducted in the high schools and to some extent is an educational program, that the two agencies, the Commission on Drugs as well as the Department of Education, should work together. This is merely intent language indicating that that is appropriate. It would be the intent of the Legislature that this program would function in that fashion. I move for its adoption. The program is in the elementary and secondary schools.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Any discussion on the Warner amendment to LB 539? If not, all those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the Warner amendment to LB 539. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to adopt the Warner amendment.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Warner amendment is adopted.

CLERK: The next amendment, Mr. President, is offered by Senator Duis. It's found on page 1916 of the Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Chair recognizes Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: I wonder if the Clerk would look and see if that is the same amendment that Senator Koch has up there.

CLERK: It appears that it may well be.

SENATOR DUIS: Then I would prefer if we'd take Senator Koch's amendment instead of mine.

CLERK: Well now Senator Koch doesn't have the priority that you had, Senator.

SENATOR DUIS: That's alright. I'll take.... I ask unanimous consent to withdraw mine. I think...the reason I need to do this is because it was printed in the Journal.

CLERK: Alright.