

Make your motion, Senator.

SENATOR MARVEL: I so move, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right.

SENATOR MARVEL: May I speak to the motion?

PRESIDENT: Yes, sir.

SENATOR MARVEL: It seems despite the fact that there have been a number of hearings and a number of proposed amendments on 406, there is still developing extreme controversy and I would like to get at the bottom of this controversy before the bill proceeds any further. The only reason I make the motion at the moment is to be certain it doesn't move over to Final Reading before I have had a chance to do some more digging. There are some people who are in the optical hearing aid business who feel seriously even with some amendments to this bill that it jeopardizes their industry and I think it is serious enough that at least I ought to be given an opportunity to look into the matter before the bill comes up for consideration once more. That is my only objection. I am not trying to play games with this bill. I am simply trying to get some facts before the bill gets over to Final Reading when it is almost impossible to hold it up subject to investigation. I would like to have until we return from the public hearing schedule. I do not think this will jeopardize the status of the bill but this is the only thing I know to do right now and, therefore, I make that motion.

PRESIDENT: Senator Moylan.

SENATOR MOYLAN: Mr. Chairman, would you please read the motion again. I didn't hear the whole motion.

CLERK: I move to bracket LB 406 until February 4, 1978 on E & R Final.

SENATOR MOYLAN: Well, this bill has gone across the Board. It had several hearings, committee hearings. It has been on General File since last year. It moved off of General File with a good vote and I think there were three votes against the advancement of the bill and I do not believe they will vote against it now since it has been explained since and they have studied it. I see no reason for holding up this bill because it has had ample time for everyone to understand this bill and there are objections from the hearing aid dealers, the only ones objecting to this, and they had an attorney here in Lincoln fighting it last year but they dropped him and picked up some outstate attorneys that are listening to the hearing aid dealers when there is nothing in this that pertains to the hearing aid dealers and I object to bracketing this bill or holding it for two weeks time at this time. I am sorry Senator Marvel hadn't been here to hear all the explanations. I gave him considerable literature to study on it but there is no big problem with the bill. So I object at this time to have it bracketed for that long a time after it has advanced as it has to E & R Engrossing.

PRESIDENT: Senator Richard Lewis.