

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I cannot speak for Senator Koch, but I am vice chairman of the Committee and I believe for the body's information, that Senator Koch will see that the Committee report is made available as quickly as possible so that we will have the information as quickly as we can, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Yes. All right. My only concern then is that we probably, when we get to General File, should put it in a position where it does not go ahead of those that were bracketed ahead of it but today it would take a position of appearing for today so it will go ahead of tomorrow's bracketed bills. Is that understood? Jerry, is that all right?

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, 660 was reported directly from the Reference Committee to the floor. That will answer some questions that Senator Carsten had. It came from the Reference Committee right to the floor.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: So there is no Committee... So that's understood. So just so it is understood then, what we will consider then with this expedite order is that it will take its place as though it were bracketed for attention today and it will follow then after today's, along with today's bracketed bills which means probably we will take it up tomorrow. I don't think we will get to them is what I'm saying.

PRESIDENT: Once more, is there an objection to the request? Seeing none, then it is so ordered in case we didn't do it before. Senator Chambers, would you like to take up your motion to bracket LB 502A?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, that is the motion. It's to bracket the bill because further down in the session, I'll be frank with you, I think something may come up where a bill will be needed and that is why I'm bracketing this bill. If you will allow me to bracket it without a motion I would ask unanimous consent to bracket it.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? Seeing none, it is so ordered. We move to item seven of your agenda, Select File. LB 258. Mr. Clerk and Senator Schmit.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 258 is on Select File. The E & R amendments have been adopted. I now have a motion pending by Senator Fowler to bracket LB 258 to a date uncertain, I assume. The motion is to bracket LB 258.

PRESIDENT: Senator Fowler.

SENATOR FOWLER: Is that the motion that was left...? I guess I was absent that day. That is still pending? Senator Schmit, do I pick a date or...?

SENATOR SCHMIT: I think at the time you were not here and I believe Senator Cullan bracketed the bill in your absence and I think that certainly anyone who has an objection to the bill this time has not registered it with me so unless you have further amendments, I'm ready to proceed with the bill. I would like to ask you not to bracket the bill so we can get on with it if you are ready to go.

SENATOR FOWLER: I do have some amendments up there but I hope I can have copies for everyone so I'll withdraw that.