

SENATOR WARNER: I should point out now there would be, in some instances, and I believe the Department of Revenue is an example, where it is under the Record, the operation for the microfilming is under the Records Management responsibility but the equipment, itself, is housed within the Department of Revenue primarily for reasons of security but normally the bulk of agencies would utilize the equipment located within the Records Management Bureau. There is a couple of other agencies that have historically had their own equipment. Again, it is usually related to security.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Any further discussion on the first amendment to LB 952? Senator Warner, any close? The question before the House is the adoption of the first Warner amendment to LB 952. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Could we get one more vote so we don't have to have a Call of the House? Thank you. Record the vote.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Warner's first amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The first Warner amendment is adopted. The Clerk will read the second amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Warner now moves to amend: Read second Warner amendment found on page 1228, Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this amendment does two things. One, there is some language stricken on page 4. I should tell you the format for this year's appropriation bills is the same structure that was used in last year's bill and there was some language on page 4 that was repeated from last year that should not be in so we are taking that out. The other portion of the amendment, however, reflects a change in program 306 which indicates \$30,000 of Highway Safety Funds, these are federal funds, to be appropriated to the court for the specific purpose of providing five clerical staff from Highway Safety Funds which will follow around the various STEP teams in the Patrol. STEP teams, as you recall, I forget what it stands for but it is the five or six patrolman that do concentrated law enforcement for traffic violations in various areas of the state. They move from area to area. We started this program, I believe, three years ago with one team. Next year we picked up, that one team with general fund and added an additional team with Highway Safety Funds. Last year, we did not expand but this year when we get to the regular appropriation bill we will be picking up one additional of these STEP teams with federal funds and replacing one of the ongoing enforcement teams with general fund money. With that background, the \$30,000 here is assigned specifically to the court to provide clerical staff to those areas where the STEP teams are operating. There was concern expressed last year where one of these teams was working because it was a considerable overload to the court system because of a great increase in violations, traffic violations. This \$30,000 of Highway Safety Funds, then, is to provide clerical staff which will