

agenda item Number 10, on motions and take up the report on the Rules Committee when he returns. So we will go to agenda item Number 10. Beginning with Senator Duis' motion to raise LB 757.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Duis moves to place LB 757 on General File pursuant to Rule 3, Section 10b. That, Mr. President, can be found on page 1114 of the Legislative Journal.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. I have asked that LB 757 be brought from committee to the floor of the Legislature. If you will recall it was probably last week that another bill similar to this had been asked to be brought up from committee and that failed. LB 757 will give to the school districts some...the remaining money that was to be allocated to them but has not been distributed and I feel as though we should have a bill on the floor of the Legislature so that it might implement and get the schools these remaining dollars so that they will be able to finance their school operations.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Dworak.

SENATOR DWORAK: Mr. President and colleagues. I rise in support of Senator Duis' motion to bring this 757 in front of this body to discuss the possibility of redistribution, or of the distribution of this money that was held in advance, I think that this is a vehicle to do it whether this is the exact way it should be done or not, I think this is something that this body needs to decide, I think that it needs to discuss it in order to come to that decision and Senator Lamb's proposal was not raised last week, this gives us an opportunity to bring up a very similar measure and I would urge that we adopt Senator Duis' motion.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator F. Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. President, I rise to oppose the Duis motion. As I have said before and I want to say it very carefully again. There are two things that you have got to realize. First of all for an effective bill this year, it is going to take 33 votes with the Emergency Clause. Mr. Brauer and his supporters sent out a letter, Mr. Brauer's position is the same as Senator Duis' in regards to this particular bill. The thrust is that their desire is to take from the major school districts and give to the small school districts. I am interested in putting together a compromise to resolve this issue and the total issue of state finance. Now, let me ask and tell you three things. First of all you have a bill on the board LB 663. Senator Lamb knows more about it than I do because he has distributed a memo to you, telling you what I was going to do and I suppose that Mr. Brauer might have written that, I don't know, he or the Governor. I am concerned about finance in regard to one issue.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Lamb. Senator Lamb for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR LAMB: He said that somebody else wrote my memo. I want to rise to say that I wrote it myself in my own office without any help from anyone.