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LB 955, 924

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I would move that we suspend the rule on the ten bill limit for the purpose of adding everybody's name to this particular bill.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Senator Chambers, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I would like to suspend the rule which limits the number of co-introducers to a bill also.

PRESIDENT: All right, the Clerk wants to know the number of the Rules and I told him that I would get them to him after work, because I am busy right now, but we will get it. Record. The Rules are suspended to allow every senator to be a co-introducer of this bill. Also to suspend the ten bill limit for this purpose only. Senator Duis, did you want to be recognized again? Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Are you done? Mr. President, before we adjourn, if we can, I have a specific amendment for 924 which is a deficiency bill, there are two parts to it. The Highway Department called me after lunch indicating that they need an adjustment for this year's appropriation relative to the amount of overtime that they can pay because of...in their salaries, personal service adjustment. They don't know that they will need it but it is an anticipation of obvious overtime required because of the road conditions where the flood has occurred so this amendment adjusts this \$500,000 of their cash funds, no impact of course in the General Funds, but they do need that authorization in the event that that they will need to use that much more time. The other part of the amendment is the adjustment in the legislative council appropriations reappropriated unexpended balance in the program that covers the operation of the Fiscal Office for the coming year. I move that the bill be returned for the adoption of the amendments and that they be adopted. The reason that I am doing it today the bill is ready to go to the printer, it does need to be passed. If it can be handled this afternoon, then we can pass it as soon as possible because there are agencies that need the authorization contained in 924.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 1 nay on the motion to return, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move that the amendments be adopted as I explained them.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Have you voted? Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, no nays on the adoption of Senator Warner's amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: It is adopted.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move that LB 924 be readvanced to E & R Engrossment.

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