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LB 604, 726A, 658  
LR 226

suggest that what we do, there are still some amendments pending, Senator Maresh has one to make it a lot more compatible in terms of time. I would suggest owing to the lateness of the time that the priority bills in the spirit of cooperation that we attempt to move that to Select File and then deal with the issue there. I think that it would save time, and I think that it would also be something that might be accommodating to other members as the priority bills come down the list there. I would ask that for now you simply move the bill on. Lets look at what other amendments are necessary and then determine if it is something that we can live with, if not, then you can take the appropriate action on Select File. I ask you now to move the bill over, Senator Maresh has an amendment, I understand that there is another one. We can deal with that on Select File.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Simon, does that conclude then your closing? The question then is the advancement of LB 604 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Senator Simon. You want a Call did you say?

SENATOR SIMON: No, I just want a record vote.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: A roll call? Just a record vote. All right a record vote has been requested. Have you all voted? Record the vote then.

CLERK: 13 ayes, 20 nays, 13 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting. Vote appears on pages 1762-1763 of the Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Motion fails. Bill fails to advance. Next bill then on...yes, go ahead read some matters into the record.

CLERK: Read LR 226. Mr. President Senator Stoney asks unanimous consent to be excused Tuesday, April 11th, until he arrives.

Mr. President, a new bill 726A. Read bill.

Mr. President, your committee on Rules gives notice of an Exec Session on Tuesday, April 11th at 7:45 a.m.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Okay, we will then take up LB 658.

CLERK: Read LB 658.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: All right, Senator Lamb, would you care to explain the bill first and then we will get to the amendment. Is that preferable? So proceed to explain the bill and then we will get to your amendment.

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. This bill introduced by myself and by Senator Hefner applies to the re-entry provisions for nurses who have not practiced on a systematic basis for five years or more. Now, just to be candid with you we would like to see the bill advanced without any amendments. But, that is not probably possible and so we are trying to compromise. We have visited with the Nurses Association and with the State Board of Nursing about this. As you may know,

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