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LB 14A, 180A

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The bill is advanced. 14A.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. Speaker, I move for the advancement... oh, have you got some amendments?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Nichol moves to amend LB 14A. (Read the Nichol amendment to LB 14A as found on Page 1350 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, the people that know how to do this in the Appropriations Committee have stated that we need these two so that the money can go from the general fund to the cash fund, and then to the agency, in case it is passed and they go into existence. I move for the advancement of this amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Burrows.

SENATOR BURROWS: Mr. Speaker and members of the body, I have asked for constitutional opinion on this bill, because I think clearly violates our state Constitution on the provision of not lending the credit of the state. I think we are clearly in this bill and in this A bill, funding out of state source, lending the credit of the state clearly, outrightly and directly violating the Constitution. I oppose changing this or supporting the A bill, because I think it's totally unconstitutional. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Is there any other discussion? The motion is the adoption of the Nichol amendment to LB 14A. Do you have any other comments to make? Okay. All those in favor of the amendment to 14A vote aye. Opposed vote no. We're voting on the adoption of the amendment. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President on the adoption of the Nichol amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried, and the amendment is adopted. Now Senator Nichol, what would you like to do with the bill?

SENATOR WESELY: I won't do it this time...I move for the advancement of LB 14A to E & R for Engrossment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: All in favor of that motion say aye. Opposed no. The motion carried. The bill is advanced. Now we have LB 180A. Will you...