

to Select File.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion on the bill? If not, the motion is to advance the bill from General File. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Twenty-five votes required. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 373.

PRESIDENT: LB 373 is advanced. LB 525. Is Senator Hoagland on deck?

CLERK: Mr. President, 525 offered by Senator Hoagland. (Title read.) The bill was read on January 22, referred to Judiciary, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hoagland.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: I would ask that we pass this bill over so we can work out some problems with the Appropriations Committee, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Unless there is objection, the bill remains on General File and will be bypassed at this time. LB 340.

CLERK: Mr. President, 340 offered by Business and Labor Committee and signed by its members. (Title read.) It was read on January 17, referred to Business and Labor, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barrett.

SENATOR BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. President and members, LB 340 amends Section 48-663 of the Employment Security Law to extend the statute of limitations from two to three years. That's all it does, from two to three years, extends the statute for prosecution of anyone who makes a false statement or representation or who knowingly fails to disclose a material fact in order to obtain an increase in unemployment benefits. The bill was heard by the Business and Labor Committee on February 20. It was not amended, of course, advanced on a unanimous vote. I would ask that the bill be advanced.