

SENATOR LAMB: LB 773A advances.

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING

SPEAKER BARRETT: Anything for the record?

CLERK: Well, Mr. President, since you've given me the option, Senator Marsh has amendments to 95 to be printed.

Revenue Committee reports 775 to General File with committee amendments attached. That is signed by Senator Vard Johnson as Chair.

Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 80, 114 and 398 all correctly engrossed. Those are signed by Senator Moore. That is all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 1735-36 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. For those who have inquired, the Chair would like very much to proceed to General File, one bill, LB 736, introduced by Senator Scofield and then move directly to Select File and address three bills which should not take a great deal of time, specifically 777, 42A and 603A at which time we'll adjourn or recess for the weekend. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 736 was introduced by Senators Scofield, Landis, Morehead, Hefner, Withem, Nelson, Conway, Chizek and Wesely. (Title read.) The bill was introduced on January 23 of this year, Mr. President, referred to the Government Committee for hearing. The bill was advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending by the Government Committee.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Chairman Rupp, please, for the committee amendments.

SENATOR RUPP: Mr. Speaker and members, LB 736 is yet another in the long string of economic development bills. It is the only one that Government Committee advanced to the floor out of a package of, I guess, eight or nine. The bill placed into statute the Business Partnership Act that would create a cooperative venture involving the Department of Economic Development and the state college and university systems to make available a business development services on a regional level. The committee amendments are fairly substantial and they, in