

amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Wesely's amendment is adopted. Anything further on it, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Okay, Senator Wesely, we're...the question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor say aye. Senator Wesely, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR WESELY: One statement for the record that I need to make before the advancement, if I could close on the bill. Or are you already in the middle of a vote? I'm sorry.

PRESIDENT: Oh. Yes, you may close.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you. It's just for clarifying purposes. There was a request that I read into the record the following, that concerns have been raised about businesses using dialing devices to contact individuals for advertising purposes, Time Life Books, in particular, that use an operator to assist with a call. Those individuals that have telephone numbers programmed into a device, they call a predetermined number and the operator asks if the person being called would like to listen to a recorded advertising of a product or service the company is promoting, would not be regulated under current regulations, and would not be regulated if LB 180 is passed. That is because Section 2 of LB 180 reads, "Automatic dialing devices shall mean a device which selects and dials telephone numbers and automatically plays a recorded advertising message." Dialing devices used with the assistance of an operator do not automatically play recorded messages. It's just a clarifying thing, but it was needed. So I would like to ask for advancement of the bill at this time, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. Move on to LB 697.

CLERK: Mr. President, the first item on 697, Senator, are E & R amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Moore, please.