

now, they can do that. In the future if they want to privatize something and it's a net impact and a decreased number of state employees which is, I would encourage myself, you simply have to come forward and present to the Legislature how you're going to save that money and even though there is a net, you're laying people off or however this is going to be accomplished, it actually is going to save the state taxpayers' dollars. But the original draft of the committee amendments would require that any time any sort of privatization incurred, and I don't think that's necessary.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Oh, good. So this would be just in that case instead of at any time the state wants to privatize. Okay, thank you. I wanted to clarify that.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Is there any further discussion to the Moore amendment to the committee amendments? Senator Moore, no closing? The issue before the body is the Moore amendment to the committee amendments to LB 322. All those in favor vote aye. all those opposed vote nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Moore's amendment to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The Moore amendment is adopted. Are there any further amendments, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further on the committee amendments, Madam President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Is there any further discussion on the committee amendments? Senator Moore, do you wish to close?

SENATOR MOORE: I'd just move the adoption of the committee amendments and then we can have a discussion on the whole concept of the bill itself.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The issue before the body is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 322. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The committee amendments are adopted. Senator