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934, 979, 1019, 1027

979.

SENATOR HALL: LB 979 is advanced. We're going to try to do LB 913, if we could, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 913, introduced by Senator Abboud. (Read title.) Introduced on January 6 of this year, referred to the Business Committee, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

SENATOR HALL: Senator Abboud, on the bill.

SENATOR ABOUD: LB...Thank you, Mr. President and colleagues. LB 913 clarifies the definition of the term educational service agency, as the term is used in Section 48-626. The purpose is to allow nonprofit organizations, such as school foundations which are created and are wholly captive of the educational institutions, meaning the schools, to treat their employees the same way employees of educational institutions are treated for unemployment purposes. These employees who work during the school year are reasonably assured of employment following any vacation period, and it would be much the same situation that we currently view unemployment benefits for teachers and other employees of the school district that leave, take a term away from the school during the summer months. And this would allow employees that work for these educational service agencies, that are basically child care, as well as educational for preschoolers, to receive the same sort of unemployment benefits, as well as limitations that educational employees currently enjoy. I'd urge the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Senator Abboud. Is there any discussion on the motion to advance to E & R? Seeing none, Senator Abboud waives closing. The question is, shall LB 913 be advanced to E & R Initial? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of 913.

SENATOR HALL: LB 913 is advanced to E & R Initial. Mr. Clerk, items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 398, LB 416, LB 451, LB 490, LB 608, LB 608A, LB 934, LB 1019, LB 1027 are all reported correctly engrossed. Enrollment and Review reports LB 694 to Select File