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LB 757, 1211A, 1211

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The question before the body is the advancement of LB 1211 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance LB 1211.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 1211 is advanced. We move now to LB 1211A.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Madam President, 1211A was introduced by Senator Moore. (Read title.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Moore to open on 1211A.

SENATOR MOORE: Thank you very much, Madam President. As explained, you're basically switching a General Funded program over to a revolving funded program. If you care to look at the fiscal note you'll see exactly how the money will be spent. And basically what you're doing is you're saving the General Fund \$155,000 by doing this. As mentioned, now these things that are performed by the Office of Risk Management will be paid for and recouped by the amount of money these agencies are paying in to the division. Actually what the office...they're going to...there's three things they're going to spend the money on, on the...on the...on the workers' compensation mainframe computer system, they'll spend \$20,000 on that; they're going to perform an external audit by a private auditing firm to analyze the assessment system of the administration state claims process, and contract with some specialized services to assist in the Managed Medical Care Program and safety program mandated by 757. These things, along with the things they've normally been doing will no longer be funded by General Funds, will now be recouped by the revolving funds going through the agency. With that, I'd ask for advancement of the A bill.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Moore. Is there any further discussion on the advancement of LB 1211A? Seeing none, Senator Moore, do you wish to close? No closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 1211A to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Please record.