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SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: House is under call. Would all senators please return to the Chamber and record your presence. The house is under call. Senator Raikes, would you check in, please? We're looking for Senator Bruning, Senator Connealy, Senator Dierks. Senator Janssen, would you check in, please? Thank you. The question before the body is the advancement of the bill. There's been a request for a roll call vote. Members, please hold your conversations to a minimum. Mr. Clerk, call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken, Legislative Journal page 485.) 41 ayes, 6 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 824.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: LB 824 advances. I raise the call. Items for the record?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Revenue reports LB 881, LB 943, LB 1117, LB 1146 indefinitely postponed. New A bill, LB 235A by Senator Byars. (Read by title for the first time.) Natural Resources reports LB 941, LB 993 indefinitely postponed. I have hearing notices from the Government Committee and from the Natural Resources Committee, Mr. President. That's all that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 485-487.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Next move to LB 93.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Erdman, no E & R's. I do have amendments to the bill, Senator Schimek, AM2376. (Legislative Journal page 361.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Schimek, you're recognized to open.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes, thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. This amendment is a follow-up to the discussion that I had on the floor the other day with Senator Chambers and his concern was that we were striking any oversight at all or any ability to have oversight over the executive branch of government when it came to boards and commissions. And so this amendment simply says that we...there...the committee may look at entities created by executive order or by an agency director.