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 LR 75

SPEAKER BROMM: Do I see five hands? The question has been asked for. I do. The question before us then is, shall debate cease? All in favor please vote aye and opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Debate does cease. Senator Landis, you're recognized to close on this component of the committee amendments.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Members of the Legislature, this, by the way, is essentially an addition to LB 759, which the Revenue Committee did, and we took one of the ideas in the LB 1085 extension idea. Most of us have been thinking, do we want to extend LB 1085 from last year? Is there another route? We tried to meld the two here by taking this piece and putting it into LB 759. Senator Brashear, I think, has graciously allowed us to use this as a platform. I think he has modified the people's plan to adopt it. It's exactly as Senator Jones just reflected. It's a continuation of the 30 cent increase, and as of October 1, 2004, it stops going to the Cash Reserve Fund and goes to the General Fund. Remember that it's 30 cents, two of which go to 309, 28 of which then go to the General Fund. I would ask for the adoption of this part of the Revenue Committee amendment to Senator Brashear's LB 759.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Landis. You've heard the closing. The question before us is the adoption of FA1326 to LB 759. All in favor vote aye and opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 41 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of FA1326.

SPEAKER BROMM: The amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk, do you have any announcements at this time?

CLERK: Just one item, Mr. President. New resolution, LR 75, offered by Senator Johnson. That will be laid over. That's all that I have. (Legislative Journal page 1362.)