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LR 45

Referred to the proper Committee.

SPEAKER MARVEL: We have a motion so let...the Clerk will read it.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Fowler moves to refer LR 45 to the Business and Labor Committee.

SENATOR FOWLER: I think the motion speaks for itself. There would be an opportunity for public hearing comment and discussion, and the...it seems most appropriate for the Business and Labor Committee, and so I would move that it be referred there to a public hearing. No, I think Business and Labor.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Hefner, do you wish to be recognized?

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I object to have it go to a committee for a hearing because I think it's...

SPEAKER MARVEL: Can't hear.

SENATOR HEFNER: ...because I think it is of utmost importance that we adopt this resolution and send it to the Nebraska Delegation. I understand that one of the Congressional members of the Nebraska is in the process now of introducing a bill that would change this, and in regards to Senator Brennan's question about safety, they still will be covered under the OSHA act of a few years back, and I think that the OSHA rules and regulations are very strict according to the safety standards of gravel and sand pit operators. So, therefore, I would urge you to vote against referring this to a committee.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the...read the motion again Mr. Clerk. It's a reference of the 45 to Business and Labor as I recall. Is that right?

CLERK: Yes, sir, that's correct.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Are you ready for the question...Senator Keyes.

SENATOR KEYES: Mr. Speaker, I certainly am back to sending this to the Business and Labor Committee. I've had a bill similar to this in front of the Public Works Committee. I've had one in front of the Ag Committee, and both of these