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LB 505

CLERK: Read Simon motion regarding LB 505.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Simon.

SENATOR SIMON: Mr. President, members of the body, this amendment has the Haberman amendment incorporated with it and also an amendment, and that amendment was proposed by the media of Nebraska and also an amendment that was introduced on behalf of the Nebraska School Board Association. They are clarification amendments so I will explain them in a little more detail but I have no objection to this amendment. I ask that the bill be returned for these amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Newell, you didn't wish to speak did you? You want to turn your light off. All right, no other persons wishing to speak. Senator Simon I guess that includes your opening and closing. The question is the return of LB 505 for the specific amendment of Senator Simon. All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, no nays on the motion to return Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries, the bill is returned. Senator Simon do you wish to make your motion to amend?

SENATOR SIMON: What page are the amendments on in the Journal?

CLERK: 1575, Senator.

SENATOR SIMON: Senator Pirsch, 1575 in the Journal. The amendments do two things. Number one the School Board Association felt that even though the bill dealt with protection of individuals as far as their identity being used that it could be strengthened just a little bit more. They were concerned that a teacher might report a case of child abuse, suspected child abuse and that that name somehow might be able to be released later on by the parent who demanded to know why...why they were reported for child abuse. So, this amendment was offered on their behalf. The last amendment on the bottom of the page is an amendment offered by the media of Nebraska which is merely a clarification. I would move for the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: All those in favor then, seeing none other, this will be the opening and closing. All those in favor of adopting the amendment to LB 505, the Simon amendment vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Voting on the Simon