

fine gentlemen have been elected for as many as twenty and twenty-five years. I don't know how long you have been here Senator Marvel but you must have. . . .you had dark hair when you came. If we come along today and change the policy that we have had in effect for some ten or twelve years and supported by the finest men that I know, we are making a mistake.

SPEAKER MARVEL: I have been here 75 years, Senator Keyes, if that was your question. Senator DeCamp and then Senator Carsten.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Real quickly. I'm going to vote to kill LB 691. Reason: Simple. I think that there should be only one bill to deal with the subject, otherwise we will spend six years doing it. With respect to LB 882, I will vote to advance it only for the reason that I think by the time it gets to Select File everybody will be in a negotiating position and then my 711 that I have been promising you all along is going to be the settlement.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I am only going to take just a minute. There have been some comments made relative to the distribution formula, the hold even situation and I want to tell you that we have played with formulas and played with formulas and unless we put 80-90 million dollars into the fund there is no hold even across the State of Nebraska. I don't know what the magic formula is. But I swear to you that we tried to find it but it is not there. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Schmit, do you want to close? Where is Senator Schmit? Senator Burrows, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BURROWS: I would like to speak to the bill, please.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, go ahead.

SENATOR BURROWS: Okay, I want to oppose the kill motion. One basic reason, I think that it is the only measure that we have on the floor that will keep us out of a special session. The Attorney General's opinion did not say that it was unconstitutional, it is not unconstitutional until the Supreme Court has found it that way. But he did say that it would be very difficult to defend, or hard to defend. I think that the explanations that I passed out on your desks, the Attorney General's opinions and I think