

appropriate to find out whether or not it is appropriate for me to call the question. But as to the issue I think we have LB 290 in as good as form as I could see, I started out not caring for this bill but it has improved to such an extent that I would not want to see it returned. I think the one license plate, the two license plate is an issue that without question is kind of over blown. I don't really understand the whole question of safety and law enforcement etc., etc. Many other states have one license plates and they seem to be doing very well and at a great savings to their individual states. But I guess the real question here is whether or not it is necessary to put two license plates in there now to redebate and rediscuss this issue here on Final Reading. As Senator Clark has said and as others have said, Senator Koch, we have time to resolve this issue. We are not going to buy plates next year. That is a determination that this Legislature has made and will not be changed by the Maresh amendment. So we do have time on which to discuss this, to debate this and have an interim study and look at it to ask the law enforcement officials in this state if they feel intensely that there needs to be two license plates, why and to what extent it will be of help, etc., etc. I think that bringing 290 back at this time is absolutely unnecessary. It clutters up and wastes a great deal of our time. Frankly, I think that if the Maresh amendment is approved it would create a great deal of difficulties for LB 290. So I rise to oppose the motion and I urge the members of the body to consider fully why we need to do this at this time. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: In the north balcony it is my privilege to introduce 45 students from Meadow Lane School from Lincoln. It is in Senator Wesely's district, Miss Burke and Mr. Houser are the teachers and we would like to have you raise your hands so that we can see where you are. Welcome to the Unicameral. The Chair recognizes Senator Sieck.

SENATOR SIECK: Thank you Mr. President, members of the body. I also support the Maresh amendment and to bring back to Select File. I did visit with my son this morning and asked him about the extra plate, whether he thought it was valuable. He said that it was very much of value. I tested myself. Can you read the numbers as you go down the highway and a car is approaching you? I find that even I can read the numbers and I don't drive to slow. So I feel with training a lot of these cars the number can be read and they can call them in and they can discover who owns the car and such like. So it is very helpful and I sure would not want the one number vehicle. I think that there