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LB 761

SENATOR NICHOL: Call of the House has been requested. All those in favor signify by voting aye. Do I see five hands? Okay, I do. All those in favor signify by voting aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Did I understand Senator Hefner correctly that he wants everyone brought back? If that's the case, we ought to get the Safety Patrol and Air Guard and everyone and get them in here.

SENATOR NICHOL: That is what he said.

SENATOR KOCH: I went through this several years ago. I would like to go through it again. It's historical.

SENATOR NICHOL: Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 12 ayes, 16 nays to go under Call, Mr. President.

SENATOR NICHOL: We are not under Call. Record the vote on the adjournment.

CLERK: 16 ayes, 17 nays to adjourn, Mr. President.

SENATOR NICHOL: Do we have another amendment?

CLERK: Yes, sir. Mr. President, Senator Wagner and Hefner would now move to amend the bill.

SENATOR NICHOL: Senator Wagner, are you going to take this?

SENATOR WAGNER: Mr. Speaker and members, first of all in relation to this amendment I want to make it clear that these are cash funds. It is not general funds. It has nothing to do with general funds in the budget. Essentially what this does is to allow...the Board of Inquiry in relation to the Veterans Home are anticipating raising the amount they charge a person in the Veterans Home. But the way the budget is written right now is that it is limited to \$8,133,000, I think, so essentially even though they raised the rates they really couldn't use these cash funds, so what essentially this does, it does make and amend that figure in there so they can use \$454,595. Earlier this afternoon I worked with Senator Warner and we worked out this amendment. I visited with Senator Hefner. I visited with a number of people here on the floor and essentially all it does is just change some figures as far as cash funds are concerned. Senator Warner and Senator Hefner