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LB 602

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Well, 602 presently carries an A bill of \$2 million but that is if the state took care of the medically indigent. So if the county takes care of the medically indigent, which is what the amendment does, it is the same \$2 million, but this time it is being born by the counties as opposed to being born by the state.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Okay, thank you very much.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Johnson to close on the amendment.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: I am going to waive closing, Senator Lamb.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is to adopt the Johnson amendment. Those in support vote yes. Those opposed vote no.

CLERK: Senator Lamb voting yes.

SENATOR LAMB: Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 33 ayes...excuse me, 34 ayes, Mr. President, 1 nay on adoption of Senator Johnson's amendment.

SENATOR LAMB: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is...there are no lights on, Senator Cullan, do you wish to move the bill?

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President, I would advance the bill. I would also just indicate briefly that the A bill is no longer necessary because the counties will have the burden of funding indigent care so there will be no state appropriation necessary with the bill in its current form. I would ask that you advance the bill.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is to advance LB 602. Those in support say aye. Those opposed no. The bill is advanced. The next bill is LB 602A.