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LB 816

assure those of you who want to take it up Tuesday.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President, I have to ask.....

PRESIDENT: (Gavel). Go ahead, Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President, I have to ask one other question and that is, besides Senator DeCamp's amendments are there other amendments to 816? Because, here is my concern and I think we all understand this concern. If we are going to get a filibuster anyway and we are not going to deal with this issue this year, if that is the intent of some members of this body, then I think we need to know that so that we can decide whether we stay, deal with the filibuster mess, work it through or whether in fact, it is going to be a very serious attempt. I can concede to Senator DeCamp and Senator Carsten's proposal and I think many other members of this body could if we understood that there would be a fair and honest shot to deal with LB 816 and not a filibuster so that we can have an honest vote to try Johnny's amendment, an honest vote to move the bill.

PRESIDENT: All right, how many other amendments are there? Just in answer to his question. Yes, Mr. Clerk, you tell him.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Haberman has a series. I believe Senator Kremer has one or two filed. Senator Vickers has one or two filed. Senator Nichol.

PRESIDENT: Senator Nichol and Senator Chambers have one. Well, Senator Lamb is here now so we can address our...the question, Senator Lamb, was whether if this were put over, if LB 816 were put over to Tuesday, would you make that the number one priority bill so that they would have assurance that it is going to come up on Tuesday, since that is the last day to really take it up?

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President, I think you understand the problem when we get down to the last few days. We have scheduled for Tuesday Final Reading about two hours. Then we have a number of motions which we have not honored at this point in regard to returning various bills for various reasons. Some of those on are on Final Reading and have been on Final Reading for some time, bracketed up at the top. So there are on the agenda 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 of those. And then back to Select File and 816 is on the top of that list.

PRESIDENT: Well then do I understand that all this would take place first if I understand what the Acting Speaker is saying that all these other items, Final Reading, motions,

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