

SENATOR CLARK: It is withdrawn now. The next amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is offered by Senator Vickers. Senator Vickers' amendment is on page 1545 of the Journal.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President, could I lay that motion back for a little bit and let Senator Carsten go ahead with his amendment?

SENATOR CLARK: All right, we will pass over it. Senator Carsten, on his amendment. Or is his the next one? Senator Haberman's amendment is ahead of yours, Senator Carsten. All right, we will pass over that and go to Senator Carsten.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Carsten's amendment is on page 1659 of the Journal.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, regardless of what happens from here on I do feel that this amendment of mine is essential to the bill and what it does is delay the payment until December that conforms to the same thing that Senator Koch did the other day with schools and I think that it is essential that we put it on and I would move for the adoption of that amendment with my thanks to Senator Newell and Senator Vickers and Senator Haberman for doing this. I would so move for the adoption of my amendment. It only defers the payment until December.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the adoption of the amendment. Is there anyone that wishes to speak to that? Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, I rise in support of the Carsten amendment and I want to point out to you and I use this opportunity admittedly to speak against the bill as it stands because I'm telling you very frankly that when those facts come home to bear there is going to be a great many people who are going to be tremendously surprised.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Schmit, we're only on the Carsten amendment. Please stick with that one.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Thank you. In regard to the amendment, that amendment is going to delay the day of reckoning for a certain period of time. It is not going to delay the