

I suppose, but is only applicable to new dairy operations. It does not affect existing dairy operations or potential construction on those existing facilities. So it would not affect...it somewhat grandfathers those others in. With that, I would move for the advancement of the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Discussion on the motion to advance LB 38. If there is none, Senator Johnson, any closing? Thank you. The question is then the advancement of LB 38 to E & R Initial. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Shall LB 38 be advanced? Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 38.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The bill is advanced. LB 158, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, 158 offered by Senator Labeledz. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred to Transportation, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: (Cavel.) Senator Labeledz, please.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. President. LB 158 is a very simple bill that just does one thing. It would allow the prestige license plate to have seven characters instead of the currently allowed, which is six. The fiscal note states that there will be a one-time cost of an estimated 50,000 to provide the tooling necessary to produce seven-character plates. It is assumed that the cost will be borne by the General Fund since the prestige plates are deposited...or the fees are deposited to the General Fund. This bill may generate increased General Fund revenue if the additional one character to the plate results in additional individuals applying. And I have been told there is about 12,000 people that now have prestige plates and they're estimating that if we add one more character to the plates, there will be approximately 18,000 that will apply for the prestige plates. I urge the advancement of LB 158 to E & R Initial.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. You have heard the motion. Is there discussion? Seeing none, Senator Labeledz, any closing?

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. President. No closing.