

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, Mr. President and members, this is another of Senator Schmit's bills. It's also a very simple bill. It merely increases the fee for a nonresident fish dealer's permit from a \$100 to \$400. This brings it in line with some of the surrounding states and it primarily has to do with minnows, as I understand it. There were no committee amendments and there was no opposition and it's supported by Game and Parks Commission and Senator Sandy Scofield. Mr. Chairman, I would move the advancement of LB 172.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schellpeper, please.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Yes, Mr. President and members, I would just like to ask Howard Lamb a question, please.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lamb, would you respond, please.

SENATOR LAMB: Yes.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Would you explain what these people that sell fish, what they are or what it entails beside minnows, that somebody that comes in and sells live fish, dead fish, or what kind of a salesman is this?

SENATOR LAMB: It's a...it's live...it's minnows for bait, as I understand it, Senator Schellpeper. And that's the only thing that it pertains to and during 1988, as you will read in the fiscal note, there were only 13 of these nonresident fish dealer's permits which were issued. But this is just considered to be a housekeeping bill.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lamb, would you like to close on the advancement of the bill? The question is the advancement to E & R Initial on LB 172. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. I need a little help. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 172.

PRESIDENT: LB 172 passes. Senator Korshoj has some guests under the north balcony, we have Merle Andersen, Mardell Andersen, Roger Mathiesen, all from Blair, Nebraska; and Jean