

Department of Environmental Control to construct or modify publicly owned sewage treatment works. The amendments proposed by LB 623 are for the most part the result of a statutory review by the U.S. EPA. Most of the comments from EPA had to do with clarification of fund and account management. Other substantive changes proposed by the bill are the creation of a discounted interest rate for short-term loans and the expansion of the definition of eligible items for construction. This is a relatively minor bill. I would ask that the bill be advanced.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? If not, Senator Lamb, any closing statement? Thank you. Those in favor of the advancement of LB 623 to E & R Initial vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the advancement of the bill. Record, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 623 is advanced. The Chair is pleased to take a moment, before we proceed to one last bill, to introduce some guests of Senators Chizek and Hannibal in the north balcony. We have 30 seventh grade students from Millard North Middle School and their assistant principal and five other adults. Would you people please stand and be recognized by the Legislature. Thank you. We're glad to have you with us. Mr. Clerk, LB 155.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LB 155 was introduced by Senators Rogers and Pirsch. (Read title.) The bill was read for the first time on the fifth of January, was referred to the Transportation Committee. They report the bill back to General File with committee amendments attached, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lamb, Chair of the committee, please.

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, Mr. President, members, this is a bill that has to do with sunscreens, windows, the dark, dark windows in cars. I'll not explain the bill, but I will only note that this will place some restrictions on sunscreening. I think it's primarily...the primary interest has been by law enforcement officers because they feel threatened when they walk up to a vehicle with dark windows. The committee amendment only provide a couple of exceptions whereby this sunscreening, dark sunscreening can be allowed. One is if the State Patrol or a law enforcement agency decides that they should grant a waiver