

what we did is we struck that list. That list, by the way, is from an old, old statute, 1930s type of language. We struck that language and inserted in its place, "commission of an immoral act, conviction of a felony under the laws of the state shall constitute just cause for the revocation or suspension of a teacher's or administrator's certificate by the board", feeling that this will lead to more serious sorts of offenses being the results of...being the cause of complaints being filed. With that, I would urge you to adopt the committee amendments.

SENATOR LAMB: The Chair recognizes Senator Barrett to address the committee amendments.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. President, and members, I rise in support of the committee amendments, as explained by Senator Withem, deleting the list of standards for which the certificates can be revoked or suspended, the reason some felt because they were repetitious. Actually, the statutes still contain lines 11 through 13 in the bill so we still have the same basic basis for revocation or suspension. It's basically what we're using now and what we're doing now. And, furthermore, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Nebraska State Education Association for the position they did take. This was an area of concern to them and, as Chairman Withem just explained after a meeting in his office, there was a consensus and they are now in support and I, as well, am in support and I would urge the body to adopt the committee amendments. Thank you.

SENATOR LAMB: The Chair recognizes Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: Mr. Speaker, I will speak on the bill.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Nelson passes. Senator Withem, do you have a close?

SENATOR WITHEM: There were no questions on the committee amendments, I waive closing.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is to adopt the committee amendments to LB 575. Those in support vote aye, those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the