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LB 813-816

introduction of Req. 1246.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, LB(sic) 1246 is similar, well, not similar, but it deals in the same area of some legislation you are going to be dealing with a little bit later this morning on underground storage tank. This has nothing to do with it directly, but under current charges that are made, there are two charges made in the process of inspection of tanks, and this would consolidate those charges. It raises, for the registration fee, I believe from 7.50 to 15, and inspection fees are 15. It consolidates those into one payment rather than two separate payments at 25, which actually would be a couple, a \$2.50 increase at the low end, \$5 reduction at the high end, but the real purpose of the bill is to provide the mechanism for funding to the Fire Marshal's Office for the inspection that they are currently required to do, and without the funding mechanism there, at least as things would stand, there is no funds available for those inspections, and as I indicated, overall it makes very little change in the mechanism...or the total cost of funding but it is necessary in order to provide the funds to go to the Fire Marshal for those people to do the inspections. I would move the bill's introduction.

PRESIDENT: The question is the introduction of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on the introduction of Req. 1246.

PRESIDENT: The bill is introduced.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 813, LB 814, LB 815, and LB 816 for the first time by title. See pages 1840-41 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, Senator Warner would now move to suspend Rule 3, Section 4(e) and 13, Rule 6, Section 1 so as to place LB 813, LB 814, LB 815, and LB 816 on direct General File.

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