

explain my vote. I am not going to vote to advance the bill right now because I feel very strongly that we should consider this needs-base formula that I offer, and I respect Senator Landis's concerns about bills getting lost out there and linked, but I guess at this stage of the game, any bill that has got any kind of fiscal impact at all can't help that unfortunate linkage anyway, Senator Landis, and I would like very much to have an opportunity to take a look at a needs-base formula prior to trying to have to move the thing back off of Final Reading, which I think you would have to admit is a very difficult thing to do under normal circumstances. So I will not vote to advance the bill today.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any other discussion? Senator Landis, there are no other lights on. You are closing.

SENATOR LANDIS: I will just move to advance the bill, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Machine vote has been requested on the advancement of LB 683 to E & R Engrossing. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted, if you'd care to vote? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 7 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 683.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 683 is advanced. The A bill, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 683A, I have no amendments to the bill, Senator.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move LB 683A be advanced to E & R.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question is the advancement of LB 683A. All in favor say aye. Opposed no. Ayes have it, carried, the bill is advanced. This might be an appropriate time, ladies and gentlemen, to call your attention to some of the points which have just been made on this floor. You will notice the agenda today is two and a half pages. It was deliberate. I've had only one person question me about it. This is to give the body an idea of what is left to be handled with now 18 days left