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LB 303A, 813

SENATOR WARNER: Excuse me...303A be advanced. I think I said only the state colleges was in and both the university and the state college health insurance in that amendment, but nevertheless, it would put all insurance, health insurance of all agencies in one bill.

PRESIDENT: Thank you.

SENATOR WARNER: Move the bill be advanced.

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

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 303A.

PRESIDENT: LB 303A is advanced. We now come to the mainline bill, LB 813. Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 813 was introduced by the Appropriations Committee and signed by its members. (Title read.) The bill was introduced, Mr. President, on April 21. It was referred directly to General File.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, if I may initially in discussing how it might be most appropriate to discuss the mainline bill, the committee has...would like to make this suggestion. I would ask unanimous consent, because of time limitations, if there is any objection, why, maybe we can work with that. But you have had passed out to you a sheet which shows each agency. It has a reference number to the report that you were given last Friday as to page in which that agency is found. It has the page in which the same agency is found in the mainline bill and it indicates the legislative analyst and then you will see a committee member designated, and the approach that we would like to use, with the body's permission, initially, is that each member will give a brief overview or highlight of those agencies which they will be handling in detail as amendments or other questions come up. But if we could have each member of the Appropriations Committee briefly describe their...the areas which they will be discussing initially before we begin to discuss amendments, it might give