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LB 588, 807

the first thing I want to indicate is that I was at a hearing that the Judiciary Committee was conducting. And having come back and been apprised of the fact that there are 32 members here, I'm going to move to ask unanimous consent to pass over 588 this afternoon.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Is there any objection? Seeing none, so ordered. The Chair is pleased to announce that Senator Withem has some guests under the south balcony, Phil and Karen Zacher from Papillion, and Bill and Flo Bonfield from Suffolk, Haver Hills, England. Would you people stand and be recognized. Thank you, we're very happy to have you with us this afternoon. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next bill scheduled is LB 807. It was a bill introduced by Senator Schmit. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 19, Mr. President. It was advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Revenue Committee.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, I think that 807 is a bill which will need the full attention of this body, and I would respectfully request permission, and regretfully so, to pass over the bill for the same reasons given by Senator Chambers for passing over 588. I don't think it's possible to get the votes I need out of 32 or 33 people, I need all of them here at the time it's discussed.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schmit, it occurs to the Chair that would you have any objection if we ordered a call of the house to see how many people are really here? We don't have that many people excused, not to my knowledge.

SENATOR SCHMIT: If you can raise them, Mr. President, I would be glad to comply.

SPEAKER BARRETT: You are asking for a call of the house?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Yes, I am.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Shall the house go under call? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.