

first, but the Cash Fund does allow that if the...if there are sufficient funds there, then there won't have to be an expenditure of state funds. But to start up, I think we need to have the A bill. It certainly needs to have some initial funding for the Protocol Office itself. After that and if we find in the future that it's not necessary and there are enough private contributions to support the process and support the duties that the Protocol Office performs, then maybe later we could do that, but right now I think the A bill is essential to have it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: And, Senator Moore, you wish to withdraw it. Fine. Read the bill, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 177 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 177A pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please?

CLERK: (Record vote read as found on page 2688 of the Legislative Journal.) 25 ayes, 19 nays, on the passage of the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 177A passes. LB 187.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have two motions on the bill. I have a priority motion. Senator Lynch would move to bracket LB 187 until January 3, 1990.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lynch, please.

SENATOR LYNCH: Mr. President and members, I would ask for your permission to bracket 187, which I don't think will be hard to get to tell you the truth. I do it, just quickly, for a number of reasons. I didn't know at the time we were pursuing LB 187 that LB 525 was coming down the pike, and I know this year is a difficult year with funds. This is about \$7.2 million which wouldn't be spent until 1990 and '91. I also have terrible problems with the A bill which provides for...well, I'll talk about the A bill when we get to that. But, in any case, I also know that we all have to give and take a little. I think we have to do a better job helping the body to understand who, in fact, would be served by this and it probably would be good to