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we're proceeding with these amendments. As I think about it, if there are senators on the floor who object to this concept, then it seems to me the more appropriate way to make that objection known would be to try to get that provision changed in LB 1141, the bill that follows, because that is the bill that we have specified...

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR McFARLAND: ...in which we have specified that the student members should have a vote. If that is the objection, then why not try to amend LB 1141 on General File and see if whether or not the legislative body wants to keep that provision in or take it out? And then if the decision is made on General File whether to keep it in or take it out, then you can come back on Select File and amend this constitutional provision, because, in fact, if we on General File take the student vote out of LB 1141, then there is really no need for this amendment and there is no need to have this provision in. But if, in fact, we have the debate on LB 1141 and the student vote stays in as part of 1141, then, in fact, you could come back on Select File and Senator...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time.

SENATOR McFARLAND: ...Senator Warner could introduce his amendment at that time. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Coordsen has some guests under our north balcony, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rouner of Gilliad, Nebraska. Would you folks please stand and be recognized. Thank you. We're pleased to have you with us. Further discussion on the Warner amendment. Senator Abboud, followed by Senator Warner.

SENATOR ABOUD: Mr. President, today I had some students down from Millard South High School and a number of senators talked to that group. And we talked about some of the issues that were before them and I got some rather difficult questions asked of me about different pieces of legislation that are before this body. And I thought back to my times when I was in high school and college, law school, and at that particular time I had a fairly good understanding of what was going on, I guess probably because I devoted a lot of my time to my studies, but also I read the newspaper. I was interested in what was going on. And