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LB 272A, 1055, 1124, 1141A, 1221

hope that we would be able to continue the work. We ought to be able to pass over LB 1141A and try to make the thing work whichever way the body chooses and continue our work whether...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schmit, excuse me.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Surely.

SPEAKER BARRETT: (Gavel.)

SENATOR SCHMIT: Thank you, Mr. President. So I'm not offering it as a motion, but I'm offering as a suggestion in the interest of expediency and cooperation that we pass over the bill at this time and let the principals get together while we work on LB 1055, LB 1221, LB 1124 and a number of other bills, Mr. President. I believe it's a reasonable suggestion. And Mr....I don't know who to ask, Senator Landis.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Landis, would you respond?

SENATOR LANDIS: Ask me the question.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Senator Landis, is there a problem with the use of LB 1141A at this time on this day because I recall years ago on a Christian school...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schmit, would you please speak into the mike.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Years ago on the Christian school bill I believe you challenged the introduction of a bill in this manner in the last few days. Would you respond please.

SENATOR LANDIS: Yes. And there is a potential flaw, you are correct in that. The suggestion that I would make to the body is that they proceed on two tracts, one being a legislative act, the second being a legislative resolution and do them both at the same time, trying to make sure that we have workable language. Senator Schmit, you're exactly right. There's a problem with five day language should it be challenged. And I'm not sure whether you can argue that LB 272A, having been passed this session, would authorize us to do this. I am far enough out on the legal limb to say..to acknowledge that there is trouble on that area. I'm just trying to nail down the hatches as best I can.