

Veterans Affairs, and I ask now the body to confirm this appointment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Conway. Is there anyone who wishes to speak to this confirmation report? Seeing none, we will vote on the adoption of the confirmation report for Jonathan Sweet, as Director of Veterans Affairs. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of the confirmation report.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The confirmation report is adopted. Do we have an additional confirmation report?

CLERK: Yes, we do, Madam President, excuse me. Senator Withem, as Chair of Education, will report on Marshall Faith as an appointee to the School Restructuring Commission.

SENATOR WITHEM: Madam Chair, members of the body, the Education Committee held a hearing earlier this week, or last week I believe it was, on the appointment of Mr. Marshall Faith to serve as a member of the School Restructuring Committee. Mr. Faith represents the business community on this particular commission. We interviewed him. We have a lot of faith in his ability to perform in this capacity and would urge you to approve the nomination.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Withem. Is there anyone who wishes to speak to this confirmation report? Seeing none, we will vote on the adoption of the Education Committee's confirmation report. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the adoption of the confirmation report.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The report is adopted. We will proceed with Item 7 on the agenda for a special motion.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Rod Johnson would move to return LB 409 to Select File for a specific amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Johnson.