and not voting.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 409 with the emergency clause attached passes. We will go to LB 409A with the emergency clause.

CLERK: (Read LB 409A on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BAACK: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 409A with the emergency clause attached pass?   All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote read.   See page 1817 of the Legislative Journal.) 40 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 8 excused and not voting.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 409A with the emergency clause attached passes. We will now proceed to Item 7 on the agenda, General File, LB 91.

CLERK: LB 91, Mr. President, was a bill introduced by a number of members, primarily Senator Lynch.   (Read title.)   The bill was introduced on January 10, referred to the Education Committee.   The bill was advanced to General File.   It was briefly discussed on April 16. There are committee amendments pending by the Education Committee, Mr. President. (See AM0945 on page 1300 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BAACK: The Chair of the Education Committee, Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, Mr. Speaker, members of the body, the Education Committee did hear LB 91, which is an extension of LB 89, offered two substantive committee amendments, and let me explain both of those.   The first one was written in the political environment of the time, which had a number of different competing proposals to deal with the balancing of the state budget. One of those was a suggestion that to fund, the teacher salary issue, that we use part of the proceeds that arrive from the tax increases brought about through LB 1059 last year.   It was the feeling of the Education Committee, that although a majority of our members supported the continuation of LB 91, that those funds that resulted from the tax increase, had been passed by this Legislature last year, had been ratified by the people in the election of 1990, for the purpose of providing

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