

Hall's amendment to the Hall-Warner amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The amendment is adopted. Before we proceed, I would like to direct your attention to the area under the north balcony. Guests today of Senators Moore and Schmit are Rick and Teresa Virgil of Weston, Nebraska. Would you please rise and be recognized and welcomed to the Chambers today. Thank you. Is there anyone else who wishes to speak to the Warner amendment? Do you have anything further, Mr. Clerk? Okay. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Madam President. Again, I rise in support of the amendment as it has been amended. It now has had the appropriation language taken out. We deal with, again, the issue of changing the reference as it deals with the sunseting of the aid to the counties. We deal with the issue of the refunds, as is stated in the bill. We clarified that. We deal with the definition of property that was included in some proposals that were originally in the bill that related back to definitions of what real property was. We clarified the issue of exemption of personal property as it relates to motor vehicles. The depreciation surcharge, as it relates to all depreciation, is laid out and clarified in this amendment. Also addresses the changes that were made with regard to the 1059 lid for schools in this bill that were made as it relates to LB 719 on Select File. Those were something we incorporated in this bill, so that no matter which bill passed, Mary Sommermeyer suggested that it be incorporated just to make sure that it wasn't left out. And then, finally, it deals with the issue of sales tax on services, allows for a starting date of October 1, so that the Department of Revenue has time to implement, and that would then run through September 30 of 1992. That is the content of the technical amendments. I would urge adoption.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Hall. Senator Abboud.

SENATOR ABOUD: Pass.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Byars.

SENATOR BYARS: Yes, Madam Chair, I would rise in support of the Warner amendment. I have language that has been incorporated into this amendment which will enable the State of Nebraska to statutorily negotiate with centrally assessed taxpayers on behalf of the local subdivisions, to be able, hopefully, to arrive at somewhat less than a 100 percent refund in