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LB 142, 142A

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Yes.

CLERK: Senator Johnson would move to return the bill for that specific amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Johnson. Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, since LB 142 failed, there is no basis for the reading of 142A. So the motion by Senator Rod Johnson is out of order.

SPEAKER BAACK: I would not so rule, Senator Schmit. I...I am willing to listen to his motion.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, then I would move to object.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Once LB 142 has failed, there is no reason for 142A to even be before the body, as in my point. The issue is moot at this point and it is totally going out of order...it is totally overriding the Speaker's order. LB 142A should not be before the body. We have never, ever brought up an A bill once the main bill has failed.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schmit, I am...the Chair would agree with you that 142A probably is not up in proper sequence. The only...since LB 142 did fail and the only way to proceed would be to have some kind of a suspension motion if we want to do that and we do not have that on file right now. So I would rule that you...that any motions...that LB 142A is not in front of the body right now.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Mr. Clerk, a motion on the desk.

CLERK: A priority motion, Mr. President. Senator Jacklyn Smith would move to reconsider the final vote on passage of LB 142.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I voted just on 142, the vote we just took on 142, on the losing