

argue against my logic, but it is, it's a gift. It wasn't something they were trying to get, it just happened because of the statute and because LB 1059 passed. So at this time I am supporting the effort to put this into 1272 because I am loyal to my four teachers and teachers as a whole. It has nothing to do with NSEA and those groups. It has to do with the teachers themselves. I promised them a long time ago I would try to help with this effort and I am going to continue to vote for it even though I understand the logic and I understand the rule and the constitutional side of it that Senator Warner was talking about. I read the rules and I read the Constitution and he certainly knows how to express that and I'll have to say that I was surprised that the germaneness was overruled. So just to make it clear again, I am voting for my teachers. That is who my vote is for. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Crosby. Mr. Clerk, amendments on the desk.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Robinson would move to amend Senator Bernard-Stevens' amendment. (Robinson amendment appears on page 1474 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Robinson.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Madam President, members of the body, my amendment to the amendment, in effect, in effect, makes the Bernard-Stevens amendment the bill. So the original 1272 would be indefinitely postponed if my amendment is voted on the positive side, so...

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Robinson. Now, Senator Warner, do you wish to address the Robinson amendment?

SENATOR WARNER: Madam President, I don't want to prolong this argument that is the basic argument. The amendment I hear read I assume is germane to the bill, but I would question whether it's germane to the amendment that is pending and I raise the question whether or not...it is certainly germane to the bill, but I doubt that it's germane to the amendment that is pending.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Warner has asked for a ruling on the germaneness of this. I will ask Senator Robinson for a response.