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to integrate those programs.

SENATOR CHIZEK: Thank you. See, that is my point, and there are others. But with that, you know, the votes were there to adopt the amendment. I do believe that we will deal with this issue again, not necessarily while I am here, but I have seen it surface its head on more than one occasion, and the irony of it is in 1988, I believe it was, I was one of the people that voted to sustain it. But I think something has to be done. I don't think it is fair to the people to keep them in this limbo state and, therefore, for now, I will ask that you advance the bill.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Chizek. You have heard the closing by Senator Chizek. We will now vote on the advancement of LB 29. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 29.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 29 advances. We will now go to LB 13.

CLERK: LB 113 was introduced by Senator Lindsay at the request of the Governor. (Read Title). The bill was introduced September 21, referred to Judiciary Committee, advanced to General File. I have no amendments pending at this time Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you Mr. Speaker, members, LB 13 authorizes the Department of the Correctional Services to absorb the administrative functions of the Board of Parole and the Board of Pardons. The functions that will be absorbed are primarily record keeping functions. The intent as far as the savings is to save some of the...a lot of the record duplication functions. The intent as far as the savings is to save a...some...a lot of the duplication, we won't have to have as much duplication costs, the other major savings is that when a transfer of record keeping functions is made from the Parole Board to the Department of Corrections, out of the nine employees only seven would be necessary, there would be two positions that would be eliminated. Should be a savings of \$51,782. I should mention that the Board of Pardons and the Board of Paroles will continue to remain separate and distinct