

benefits side and on the cost side, and simply that's not good economics, that's not good accounting, that's not something that we ought to be doing. This amendment, in essence, would do...would undo that mistake, in my mind. It would say, okay, we are going to count this on the one end but not on the other, because there...Senator Lindsay was exactly right. The basic assumption behind this cost-benefit analysis should be that these are jobs that would not have been in Nebraska, otherwise these are revenues that would not have been in Nebraska except for this legislation. And I think that if you accept that premise, which I don't know who should not, that the fact is that there's one member of the body that will not. But the fact is that I think the premise behind this legislation, at least as far as I'm concerned, is that these jobs, this revenue would not have been here without the legislation, so you should only count this revenue once when doing a cost-benefit analysis. That's the basic thrust behind this amendment and I would urge your support for it.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Will. Mr. Clerk. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Madam President, I'd ask if the question could be divided, item one and item two. Item one is noncontroversial and corrective in nature and ought to be done. Item two is different.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The request has been that amendment...the Brashear amendment to LB 829 be divided, Section 1 being the first line, and Section 2 being the second and third lines. So ordered. Senator Lindsay, which would you prefer to do first?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Madam President, we could take the...the first line, as Senator Warner mentions, the first...paragraph one is noncontroversial. I think that should be taken up first. It's more technical than anything else, so I would ask that the first part be taken up and urge that it be adopted.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Is there any discussion of the first section to the Brashear amendment, which is the first line? Senator Wesely, do you wish to discuss the first section? Senator Warner, discuss the first section? Senator Will, the first section? Senator Hall, do you wish to discuss the first section? Senator Withem. Seeing no...is there any further discussion of the first section? Seeing none, Senator Lindsay,