

apply to small loan companies. And Senator Lindsay, who was the original sponsor of the bill, is supportive of this amendment. He couldn't be here this morning and Senator Landis is as well, and he couldn't be here either, so I agreed to handle the amendment. I will be glad to try to answer any questions, but I just want to...basically all I can say is that it is to remove a couple words which narrow the application of 397 to small loan companies. And then it inserts sections of the statute, it says that this is to apply to licensees operating under Sections 45-114 to 45-155 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes, and that is the small loan or installment loan section of the statutes. So that is the extent of the amendment. I'd be glad to try to answer any questions if there would be any.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Bromm. Is there any discussion of the Bromm amendment? Seeing none, Senator Bromm, do you wish to close? Closing is waived. The question before you is the adoption of the Bromm amendment to LB 397. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Bromm's amendment.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Bromm amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Senator.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Maurstad.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Madam President, I would move to advance LB 397 to E & R for engrossing.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question before you is the advancement of LB 397. All those in favor say aye. All those opposed nay. LB 397 advances. LB 499.

CLERK: I have no E & R. Senator Warner would move to amend the bill. (Warner amendment, AM1682, appears on page 1801 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Chair recognizes Senator Warner to open on his amendment.

SENATOR WARNER: Madam President, members of the Legislature,