

March 6, 1996

LB 1050A, 1275

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 1275.

SPEAKER WITHEM: LB 1275 is advanced. Members, could I have your attention please for an announcement concerning today's agenda. The agenda got printed incorrectly. You should be aware that the second page of today's agenda, which should be on the back of the blue page on your agenda pad, did not get printed there. It actually got printed on the back of consent calendar. The second page of consent calendar, the yellow sheet, constitutes the remainder of today's agenda. So, again, let me make sure we understand what the order of the day will be. We will be beginning very shortly, as soon as the Speaker quits rambling on up here, with consideration of the bills on General File in the order in which they're listed today. At eleven o'clock we will pause for two motions to place bills on General File notwithstanding the action of a committee. If there is time between eleven o'clock to consider those bills then get back to General File, we will do so. Approximately noon or an hour close thereafter as is possible, we will be recessing, reconvening at 1:30, continuing with General File at that time. At five o'clock, this is another new way of conducting business that we're trying, to see if we can process some legislation that needs to process, needs to be at least considered this year, we will be special ordering some committee priority bills. At a time when we normally would not be in session we'll be taking an hour once a week to try to process some committee priority bills. The standards I'm using for putting those up are a probability of passage, meaning that they are not, do not, on the surface anyway, appear to be controversial. Obviously, members of the body will make that determination as we get to them. And the other thing is some sort of need to pass rationale. Admittedly today the six that I'm putting up here are ones that meet the first criteria, I'm not all that sure about the second, second criteria. Those are being special ordered on a 25 minute time limit basis only. If members have a difficulty with a particular bill that's placed on this, in this fashion, let me know and we will work with the sponsors of it and maybe it is not appropriate. I don't want to kill 25 minutes on a bill, so if you have a problem with a bill being on special ordered on this, visit with me and we'll try to deal with that concern. With that, I thank you for your attention to that. Mr. Clerk, LB 1050A.