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CLERK:      25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The amendment is agreed to. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President, I would move for the advancement of LB 234 to E & R for engrossing.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The question before us is the advancement of LB 234. Those in favor say aye. Those opposed nay. The bill is advanced. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK:      Mr. President, next bill, (LB) 612, by Senator Baker, considered on March 4. Senator Beutler, you had a motion to indefinitely postpone pending, which laid the bill over.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I had indicated, I think, at that point in time that the purpose was to allow additional discussion of the bill and so I would pull that amendment at this time, Mr. Clerk.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The amendment is withdrawn.

CLERK:      Mr. President, Senator Kristensen would move to amend. (See AM0658 on page 849 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Kristensen, you're recognized to open on your amendment to LB 612.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Senator Baker, just so you understand, the purpose of the amendment was so that the bill just didn't get voice voted over without the opportunity, and I know that Senator Crosby's child support bill did advance and I was not able to be here that day and, Senator Beutler, I appreciate the friendly kill motion to give us the opportunity. This bill did have a significant amount of debate on first round. It received 25 votes. This is another bill where I think we need to be careful and to watch and not to mix, and it deals with depreciation add-back into the calculation of child support. We either ought to have the courts do child support guidelines or the Legislature ought to do them, but once we mix them you're going