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those costs and allowing those claims to go far beyond the 60 days. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Debate on the motion to return? Senator Bohlke. She waives closing. The question before the body is, shall LB 813 be returned to Select File for specific amendment AM1188? All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to return the bill.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Motion is successful. Senator Bohlke, you're recognized to open on AM1188.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I think the explanation I gave would be my opening and my closing.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Debate on the amendment? Senator Bromm.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senator Bohlke, I may have been distracted, but I heard the portion of the amendment that you referred to striking that Section 50, but there are other...there's other changes in this amendment that I may not have heard you talk about that I need to ask you about and they deal with the definition of "disabilities" apparently, and on page 4, line 18 of the bill, it's inserting just one word, "other", in front of "disabilities", and I don't know what that changes or why that's necessary. But certainly with the Supreme Court case involving disabilities and concerns about where we're going with funding those areas, I'm wondering what significance that word has. If you would yield...if you...if Senator Bohlke would yield to...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Bohlke, would you yield?

SENATOR BROMM: ...some discussion, please.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes, and this was language that was brought to us from the legal counsel from the department...from our Department of Education. The word "other" just distinguishes developmentally delayed from other categories, and when they