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city of Omaha; DEQ has gone over it, they made a suggestion that was incorporated. I visited with Senator Connealy, who has been interested in this fund, Senator Hilgert who was kind enough to deal with me when we were working on the bill. This issue on his bill that now, as you know, we're starting all over again with, after it was already on Final Reading. And I visited with everyone who I knew had an interest. To my knowledge, there isn't anyone that has a problem with this. If anyone has any questions, I would be happy to answer them. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Preister. Senator Schimek, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Mr. President. I have a point of personal privilege and I would like to mention to you that the books on the boards and commissions, that we've put together for you, are ready and they are being distributed. They will be in your mailboxes today. And there are several things I would like to mention in connection with it. One is that if there is a lack of information on some of these boards and commissions, it's because we didn't receive it. We didn't get total responses for some of the boards and commissions we contacted, even though we had repeated contacts in some cases. So I think that you need to know that. Secondly, I think that you need to know that if you have suggestions or ideas on structure or any additions or ways of doing things differently, the committee would like to know about it and will consider any suggestions or ideas that you have. And finally, I do need to thank a couple of people for it, because Judy Carver, from then the Government Office, actually did all the data entry and put this in the computer for us. And then Sherry Shaffer and Mike Kangior, from my office, did all the proofing and got it into final shape. So I would like to thank them. And I would very much appreciate your feedback about the usefulness of this particular book and format. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Schimek. For discussion on AM1905 to LB 592, Senator Hilgert.

SENATOR HILGERT: Thank you, Mr. President, members. If Senator Preister would yield to a few questions I have in regard to this