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funds, you know, as they come in, in the Appropriations Committee. And I'm not making...I don't want to make an issue where there isn't any, but I do want to be clear on the funds that are created, as, if there is oversight, if there should be oversight. And I'm shooting from the hip, so I...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: I understand.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay. Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: I have no problem with that.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Schimek and Senator Wehrbein. Senator Schimek, there are no further lights on, you're recognized to close on the advancement of LB 14. Senator Schimek indicates she would waive closing. Members, the question is whether LB 14 shall advance to E & R Initial. All in favor please vote aye, and opposed vote nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 14.

SPEAKER BROMM: LB 14 does advance. Next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 15 by Senator Schimek. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 9 of this year, referred to the Government Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I have no amendments at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Schimek, you're recognized to open on LB 15.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes, thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. This is a bill that was brought to us by the community colleges. And it is a bill which would allow candidates for community college boards of governors to be automatically placed on the general election ballot when the number of candidates for each position to be filled does not exceed two in the primary election. The candidates are then declared to be nominated, and their names do not appear on the primary election ballot. And I might mention