

November 4, 1975

PRESIDENT: All rise for the morning prayer.

CHAPLAIN: Prayer given.

PRESIDENT: Roll call. Record your presence please.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Schmit asks to be excused until he arrives. Senator Frank Lewis asks to be excused until he arrives. Senator Koch asks to be excused until he arrives.

PRESIDENT: Have you recorded your presence? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: A quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Are there any committee reports, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: None.

PRESIDENT: Do you have anything on your bench, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing.

PRESIDENT: Under General File, LB 6 is bracketed, Mr. Clerk. We are on General File now.

CLERK: LB 4, Mr. President. LB 4 introduced by the Speaker, J. W. Burbach of the 19th District at the request of the Governor. Read title. There are committee amendments, Mr. President, by Senator Cal Carsten's Revenue Committee.

PRESIDENT: The chair recognizes Senator Cal Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, the committee amendment is an amendment that was presented by Mr. Peters to LB 4 and it is a clerical amendment. In the drafting of the bill, there was only the use, and I do not have that right at my fingertips. Vince, would you, if I may, Mr. President, can I ask the Clerk to read that amendment, please.

CLERK: The amendment is as follows: See Journal, Page 29.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Now, Mr. President, this personal income tax rate, those words were left out of the original drafting and should be a part of the bill, and it is in reality only a clerical error and I move for the adoption of the amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Any discussion? The question is, the adoption of the amendment as explained by Senator Carsten and read by the Clerk? Record your vote. Have you voted? Record.

CLERK: 32 ayes, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries. I apologize to you. I forgot about the Journal. Are there any corrections to the Journal? Seeing none. They will stand. The Clerk advises that he has other amendments to LB 4, but at this time, we will call on the introducer of the bill. Senator Burbach.