

PRESIDENT: That's better.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Thank you. I just needed a little coaching sometimes.

PRESIDENT: Thank you Senator Lewis. Now the Chair has ruled that that vote was over and the Clerk was in the process of reporting it. Senator Lewis has challenged that ruling. Clear the board please. So the question is shall the Chair be overruled. If you agree with the Chair you vote red, if you agree with Senator Lewis you vote green. Record your vote. For what purpose do you arise, Senator Newell?

SENATOR NEWELL: Point of order.

PRESIDENT: State the point of order. State the point.

SENATOR NEWELL: My understanding is that the rule has been changed to where the Chair ... the question is....

PRESIDENT: Your question is is it a majority of those voting.

SENATOR NEWELL: Alright.

PRESIDENT: It is a majority of those voting. If you agree with Senator Lewis vote green. Record the vote. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Senator Duis, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DUIS: A question of the Chair.

PRESIDENT: Yes sir.

SENATOR DUIS: Are we under Call?

PRESIDENT: Yes sir, everybody at their desk.

SENATOR DUIS: Are we entitled to a roll call vote now?

PRESIDENT: On the appeal? Certainly.

SENATOR DUIS: I ask for one, sir.

PRESIDENT: Okay, call the roll, on the appeal. Again, if you agree with the Chair you vote red, if you agree with Senator Lewis that the Chair should be overruled then you vote green. Call the roll. Commence the roll. Everybody please stay at your desk.

CLERK: This is shall the Chair be overruled. (Took roll call vote found on page 895 of the Journal). 22 ayes, 13 nays.

PRESIDENT: That is a majority of those present. The Chair is overruled. Commence the roll. Please take your chairs. This is.... Senator Savage, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR SAVAGE: What is the question that we're voting on.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill on roll call. The Chair was overruled on whether or not we could have roll call. So call the roll.