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it only proper and fitting that that be done. I would urge that we bracket LB4 and take the time and effort and the expertise that is available in this body and people that we visit with, especially those subdivisions of government such as school boards, weed control authorities, city council, county boards, so that we can listen to their input and put together a solid piece of legislation that is totally workable and we should rise above the charges that we are doing this for political reasons or self motivation, and any of the special interest groups that might influence. So, I would strongly urge that we bracket LB4 as the motion before the floor calls for.

PRESIDENT: Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: I move the previous question.

PRESIDENT: There are no further lights. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, members of the legislature. There is a verse in Proverbs that says that it is the little that destroyed the vine. Enough of you felt that you were in the public spot light in a negative way so you struck from LB4 language that would have delayed implementation of disclosure. I am asking now that you bracket this bill and not make a fatal flaw in the entire effort that you put forth by loosening up the disclosure and requirements of record keeping where you are personally concerned. Now, I can see where hungry people would be more concerned about their stomach momentarily than other matters because when hunger is upon you it is hard to concentrate on other things. But, as I look around this legislative chamber nobody looks hungry to me. Now, you might be hungry because habitually when a certain hour comes you put some food in your mouth, chew and swallow it. But I mean the kind of hunger because your body is not receiving enough nutrients. That is not happening in this legislative body. So, to take an area like this and use it for retreat from a principle which had been taken when you struck that original language in LB4 is, I think, a poor thing to do. So I ask that you vote to bracket this bill until that day in January.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. We are under Final Reading. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 10 ayes, 22 nays.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a series of additional motions. Just ahead of that I'd like to read into the Journal LR 122. It will be read and laid over. Mr. President, LR 123. That will be referred to the Executive Board. An Attorney General's opinion addressed to Senator Maresh will be read into the Journal. Mr. President, the next motion is offered by Senator Chambers. (Read Chambers motion found on page 2201 of the Journal).

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers.

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