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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, only to say that I agree and I support it.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Haberman, did you wish to speak to the Vard Johnson amendment? Okay. Senator Vard Johnson, did you wish to close on your amendment?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: No closing.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the Vard Johnson amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. If you care to vote, please do so. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The Vard Johnson amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Chambers, you were next.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, the bill does have some worthwhile and needed provisions, however, the one with the exoneration or immunization of bankers from punishment for wrongful conduct is something that I cannot vote for so I am going to vote against the bill but I want it clear that that is the provision which makes it impossible for me to vote for it. And I am saying it for the record because on another banking bill the other day where I was the only one who voted in opposition I stood up and emphasized that I am saying this so that nobody will think my red vote is up there through inadvertence. It will be the only red against the long green. Then one of the members of the media, UPI, wrote that the bill advanced without a dissenting vote. So I am underlining it. I am voting no and I am voting no for the reasons that I said and if anybody didn't get those reasons they can ask of somebody who did.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator DeCamp, did you wish to close?