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adoption of the Chambers amendment to the third component of the divided committee amendments. Have you all voted who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 4 ayes, 28 nays, Mr. President, on the amendment to the committee amendments.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was not successful. The amendment was not adopted. Mr. Clerk, items for the record, please. I do raise the call. I'm sorry.

CLERK: Mr. President, the Committee on Judiciary offers notice of hearing, and I have a new resolution, LR 95, by Senator Fischer that will be laid over. (Legislative Journal page 1325.) That's all I have, Mr. President, and I have nothing further pending to FA190 at this time.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Sorry I interrupted you. (Visitors introduced.) Discussion of FA190, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, before I start on this discussion...well, I'll wait till we get to the next one, because maybe this term, this phenylpropanolamine, is another way of saying pseudoephedrine, but I will wait till we get to that in the next one and discuss it. The amendment that I offered was rejected, but resilience is one of my traits. I'm not going to offer a lower age at this point. I will talk to Senator Aguilar and see if there's any feeling on the part of the body to do something about this 18 years or older, which a person must be to make even the limited purchases allowed by this bill. This is not one of those bills that I would try to do everything I could to stop, even though I think there are harmful parts of it. I'm going to continue, though, to point out so the public knows that I, at least, if nobody else does, am aware that this bill is not the cure-all. This bill is not even going to cure 20 percent of the problem. Why do I say that? If they claim that 20 percent of the methamphetamine used is locally or domestically produced within the state, because not every one of these labs is going to be shut down, they're not going to get rid of even that 20 percent, which may be high.