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you should have. Those that have been excessively spending should be brought down. Those that have been economizing should be given liberty to run their own business in whatever ways they deem are necessary. I think the lid bill in its new form, its old form, whatever you want to call it, has been and will be, continue to be merely political, merely confusing and merely a hoax. You all know how it started back when J.J. and Zeke and the group were trying to say they were going to save the world and throwing out lid bills. That is how it started. I don't think we are solving any problem just by creating a new form of it. I realize the amendment doesn't stand a chance but I thought it ought to be offered. I thought you ought to get a chance to vote on it.

PRESIDENT: All right, I guess no one else wants to talk on it, so... Is that your close?

SENATOR DeCAMP: One final thing, I would point out that I think you created a new kind of lid bill about...well, forty five minutes ago or so and maybe by Select File you will discover that the lid bill is completely different. I am sure Mr. Stuve from Omaha and the Omaha people will discover it. I am sure the Lincoln people are going to wake up tomorrow morning and discover that they have got a new kind of lid bill than they thought.

PRESIDENT: Senator Carsten, do you have a question?

SENATOR CARSTEN: Would the Clerk read the amendment?

PRESIDENT: All right. The Clerk will read the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator DeCamp moves to repeal all provisions of LB 1 as passed in the First Special Session in 1978.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kelly, for what purpose do you arise? That was a close.

SENATOR KELLY: I'm glad for that.

PRESIDENT: So are we all. The motion is the adoption of the DeCamp amendment to the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. This is an amendment, not to the committee amendment. This is an amendment so it requires 25 votes. Have you all voted? Senator DeCamp, do you want maybe...?