

regional representation for any part of the state. This bill is a fair and decent compromise. It guarantees that representation is going to come from every major population area, yet it prevents representation coming exclusively from Omaha and Lincoln. We think it is a fair and a decent compromise. As Senator Cullan has indicated and as I have indicated previously, the Bar Association supports this, has supported it from the beginning. The House of Delegates supported it without dissent and I would urge this Legislature to advance it over to Final Reading. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the advancement of 261 to E & R for engrossment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Machine vote? The motion is the advancement of the bill. This is the final time for the advancement of the bill. Have you all voted? Senator Hoagland.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: I'm afraid we are going to have to have a Call of the House, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The question before the House is, shall the House go under Call. All those in favor vote aye, opposed no. Record.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 0 nays to go under Call, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The House is under Call. All legislators please take your seats, unauthorized personnel please leave the floor, record your presence.

CLERK: Senator Landis voting aye, Senator Goodrich voting aye, Senator Clark voting no.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Merz, Senator Lewis, Senator Nichol, Senator Kelly, Senator Chronister.

CLERK: Senator Chronister voting no, Senator Wagner voting aye, Senator Carsten voting no, Senator Lewis voting aye.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Have you all voted?

CLERK: Senator Merz voting aye.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 17 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion carried. The bill is advanced. The Call is raised. The next item ... Senator Wesely.