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income. Up until that point, anyone under Social Security, because of a disability, would be included in this amendment unless like I say there was income from the other spouse in the family which would go over the income guidelines. There are many, many people especially those under 65 that are disabled and not able to work and still have children at home, still have a mortgage on their home and are unable to manage the property tax, the utilities, and so forth because of the Social Security payments. I urge you to vote for this amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is on the Labeledz amendment to the Hoagland amendment. All those in favor of the Labeledz amendment vote aye, opposed vote no. Record the vote. Senator Labeledz. Okay, record the vote.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 17 nays on the Labeledz amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, now the motion is on the Hoagland amendment. Senator Hoagland.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: Let me close very briefly, Mr. Speaker. I think Senator Labeledz stated extremely well the general reasons why this kind of exemption is a good exemption. I am sorry that her amendment did not attach. My amendment unamended by her amendment is considerably narrower in scope. It just applies to mentally disabled persons. As I indicated earlier, all the benefits of this particular exemption section apply to physically disabled. This will give the mentally disabled some benefits and I would encourage you to adopt the amendment. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the adoption of the Hoagland amendment to 647. All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. Okay, record the vote.

CLERK: 9 ayes, 25 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Motion lost. Do you have another amendment?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senators Wesely, DeCamp, Dworak, Lamb, George and Hefner move to amend. (Read amendment as found on page 1829 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER MARVEL: Who is carrying the amendment? Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Yes. Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, we have discussed this before. It should not take