

nothing in this requirement against any religious materials that any of the private schools might choose to use. So it was the feeling of this committee that this waiver shouldn't be granted and that that requirement should remain in the statutes. With that I would move for the adoption of committee amendment number two.

SENATOR NICHOL: I have three lights on but it is my understanding all three of you wish to speak to the DeCamp amendment instead of this amendment number two. If anyone wishes to speak to amendment number two, please indicate so that I will know. If not, the question is the adoption of amendment number two. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of committee amendment number two.

SENATOR NICHOL: The second committee amendment is adopted. We go from here to the DeCamp-Howard Peterson amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, the amendment can be found on page 746 of the Legislative Journal.

SENATOR NICHOL: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, Senator Vickers of course explained the committee amendments in the bill. My amendments make the following changes in the bill and the committee amendments. The Attorney General and I think a number of members suggested that a ten year limitation on establishment of a church was probably unconstitutional. We struck that. We allow the governing body, and remember we have to be talking about the original bill of course. We set up lay boards under the original proposal of the Education Committee. That body determines the qualifications under this amendment I'm offering, would allow the governing body of the church to determine the qualification of the teachers and of course we're back to the Rule 14 issue and of course there is a waiver of the requirements then on instructional programs which is curriculum. The waiver must specifically contain under my amendments, the basis for interference between religious instruction and state requirements and that is... oh, and I have a provision that for a period of six months, while this new lay board is being set up and this new structure is being organized there would be no prosecutions. In other words there would be a six month, so to speak, grace period for coming into compliance with this new system. Now Senator Koch and the Education Committee accepted the responsibility of dealing with this issue this year. This is the format they have come up with for it. I personally think our