

area with teacher certification which is a rule and that is the heart of this bill and I don't want to get you off the subject. That is where it is all at. Senator Fowler stated a few minutes ago if he received or was successful in getting this amendment, he personally could then support the bill. I'm going to ask that you follow and follow Senator Fowler on this amendment and I tell you the Christian School people who might be listening, you can meet any curriculum standards that are reasonable, you can do it, don't worry about it. You've got the six months period of time, you can do her. And the issue of teacher certification which is where the heart of the controversy is which is the conflict between religion versus a democratic society, that issue is resolved in the balance of the bill. I can say to you as honestly as I've ever said anything, I would like to see this problem solved. I would like to see you at least try out...

SENATOR NICHOL: Thirty seconds.

SENATOR DeCAMP: ...try out this bill, try out this proposal, see if it doesn't get her settled down and get people kind of halfway happy, no matter what side of the issue you're on and see if it doesn't work. I think it will. So I am going to vote with Senator Fowler to reject that particular portion and I am asking him and others of a like nature to support the balance of the bill then.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay, the question is Section 2, subsection 2. Now for clarification, Senator Fowler and Senator DeCamp, if you vote yes on this particular portion of the bill it means that subsection 2 of Section 2 is in the bill. We are not voting on the balance of the bill at this time. So all those in favor vote yes, those opposed no.

CLERK: Senator Nichol voting no.

SENATOR NICHOL: Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 3 ayes, 30 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of that portion of the DeCamp-Howard Peterson amendment.

SENATOR NICHOL: The amendment is adopted. Excuse me, the amendment is not adopted, correct. So that portion of the bill is not in the bill, it is not in the amendment anymore. Now we are back on the balance of the DeCamp-Peterson amendment. Senator DeCamp, did you wish to make any remarks?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, simply to say the issue before us now is the structure set up by the Education Committee. That is what it is all about and the issue of teacher certification which is Rule 14 and a system to accommodate the