experience of many other states who use the beads on glass system, their experience has been good. My experience in the Public Works Committee has been that it is six of one and half a dozen of another. That is the way I personally feel about it. But if it is six of one and half a dozen of another in the cost and there is a tremendous cost in difference, then I begin to feel much stronger about it. Basically, I think that that is what we are talking about in this situation, that either one of these systems will probably do us just fine for license plates but one of them costs a lot less and these are years when we could use a savings of a few hundred thousands of dollars, really could use them. And do you think 3M doesn't think that it is going to cost us a lot less? They can make both systems but they are fighting real hard just to have to make the one. So I would just ask you to reaffirm what we have decided before to stay with competitive bidding and let the department decide then what is in the best interest of the people of the State of Nebraska. Thank you.

SENATOR NICHOL: The question is the Beutler amendment to the Warner amendment. All those in favor signify by voting aye, opposed nay.

CLERK: Senator Nichol voting yes.

SENATOR NICHOL: Please vote. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 11 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment to Senator Warner's amendment.

SENATOR NICHOL: The Beutler amendment to the Warner amendment is adopted. Now back to the amendment. Do you have anything else, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: No, sir.

SENATOR NICHOL: Senator Koch, your light was up next on the Warner amendment, did you wish to speak again on that? Okay, Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I guess I would like to ask Senator Beutler a question so maybe I don't understand the language. On the "and" or "or" which is now "and" in the amendment, would you interpret that to mean that there would only be one set of specs in which both types of systems met and then that the lower bid I assume would be the one we would take. Or does the word "and" mean that there might be two or three companies that would have