

in the exchange program to Omaha, and vice versa, why don't you allow it, why don't you permit it in the bill, which did make some sense. So, this amendment simply would allow an exchange within 150 miles, if the school was significantly different than the regularly attended school. Very simple. I would move its adoption.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. You've heard the explanation. All those in favor of the amendment vote aye, opposed nay. We're voting on the Barrett amendment, please. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Barrett's amendment on page 692 of the Journal, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The Barrett amendment is adopted. Anything further on the bill?

CLERK: Mr. Speaker, you had an amendment printed on page 778, AM0424. I understand you want to withdraw that amendment.

SENATOR BARRETT: ...twenty-four, yes.

PRESIDENT: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Barrett would move to amend. Senator, this is the amendment on 778, AM425.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barrett, please.

SENATOR BARRETT: Yes, Mr. President and members. This little amendment deals with the method of selection for the leadership academy. Senator Chris Abboud brought this to my attention the other day when he suggested that he might want to select a student who lived in his legislative district but went to school in another district. So this amendment states that a student will be nominated and chosen from the legislative district in which they live. In other words, the selection process is not based on the school districts, but on legislative districts. Very simple. I would move its adoption.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of the Barrett amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator