

his amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: The question is the adoption of the Smith amendment to the Hall amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 1 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Smith's amendment to the Hall amendment.

PRESIDENT: The Smith amendment to the Hall amendment is adopted. Now we are back to the Hall amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have another amendment to Senator Hall's amendment and that is offered by Senator Warner.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I hadn't particularly thought about being involved until I was listening to the discussion and traditionally I think I have always been supportive of the three-tier system as best as I can recall, but as I was listening to the need and with the small cap of \$300, that there may be some unique brand, not unique, but a brand with at least low volume of usage or request in a restaurant, the thought occurred to me that the one area that really has some logic is wine. There are so many different kinds of wine that, and some people apparently have taste, I know, for a particular kind, and what my amendment does is merely adds wine to the alcoholic beverage which seems to be extremely logical to me. I can understand beer, I don't know much about beer, but there aren't, I don't think, that many brands that it would make that bit of significance, but certainly in wine, that can be very significant, I think, to some people, and the probability of a small restaurant having a large variety in stock is not likely. So if you want the spirit of the amendment to provide better access for small communities, the small establishments, I would offer the amendment to add wine.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. There are many lights on, some apparently haven't bothered to turn them off, and we will test you to see if you want to speak about this. Senator Wesely. Senator Rod Johnson, did you wish to speak on the amendment to the amendment?