

purchasing it from the outside; show me the burning controversy over the issue with regard to setting up a totally different set of arbitration rules and regulations that these...this small group of individuals function under. It's not there, and we shouldn't have the emergency clause on this piece of legislation. I'd urge the body to adopt this amendment and it...I...I would urge the body to adopt this amendment. Thanks, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Discussion, Senator Ashford.

SENATOR ASHFORD: I'll leave this decision up to the body. I think that...sort of the last chapter in sort of an unfortunate afternoon. I guess this body has in the past made decisions on emergency clause based on their own ideas of what is appropriate and I'll leave it to them to make this decision, make it's own decision. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Abboud.

SENATOR ABOUD: Question.

SPEAKER BARRETT: That won't be necessary. There are no other lights. Senator Hall, any closing comment?

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, only that this is a very serious amendment and I think the issue of the emergency clause should be kept for very serious situations, times when it is needed. There has not been a case presented at any point in the life of this legislation that justifies the emergency clause as a piece of this legislation. I would urge the body to adopt the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of the Hall amendment. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I would ask to expedite things for a call of the house and a roll call vote on this issue.

SPEAKER BARRETT: A call of the house has been requested. Mr. Clerk, clear the board. Those in favor of going under call please vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 8 nays to go under call, Mr. President.