

SENATOR LABEDZ: One minute, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...we refuse to acknowledge that any of these items are burial goods. So we set up the arbitration that Senator Wesely or Senator Goodrich would envision and the Historical Society decides that, no, we are not going to agree on three, so the Governor cannot appoint anybody, and I am not talking about the merits of that being done. Under Senator Wesely's plan, they say we are not going to agree on a third one. So that means no burial goods go back, the will of the Legislature is defeated, and there can then be the destruction of records, because since the skeletal remains have been returned, it could be difficult in the future to identify those items with the specific remains, and we will have given the Historical Society a way to make a travesty out of all of this. And that is not the kind of system that we should build, so either Senator Bernard-Stevens' amendment setting up the Ombudsman as the dispute resolver or one very similar to it so that we can get a decision...

SENATOR LABEDZ: Time is up, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...is what we have got to have.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Before we go to the next speaker, under the north balcony, we have 23 students, guests of Senator Conway, from Newcastle, Nebraska. They are with their sponsor and a school board member. Will you please rise and be recognized by your Legislature. Senator Kristensen, the next speaker on the amendment to LB 340.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Question.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Senator Kristensen has requested we cease debate. Do I see five hands? I see five hands. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? We are voting on cease debate, have you all voted? We are voting on cease debate, have you all voted? Senator Bernard-Stevens.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: I was hoping that we could avoid doing this but I think at this point we should just go ahead and have a call of the house and get it taken care of.

SENATOR LABEDZ: A call of the house has been requested. All in