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is, is it important to have the best people in that position, and the answer I think is yes. In other circumstances, you can look the other way. In other positions, they're not that important. This one is. This appointment is significant and I think for a number of reasons that many others have shared. Again, I would urge your opposition to the appointment.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Lowell Johnson, please.

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: I would call the question, please.

PRESIDENT: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do, and the question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. We are voting to cease debate. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The debate has ceased. The question is the...oh, excuse me, Senator Landis, would you like to close, please?

SENATOR LANDIS: Sense of my unique position in how this works out, I will just, having called the question, ask that the body decide the confirmation of Ms. Spence.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the confirmation of Ms. Spence. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President, on the confirmation of Ms. Spence.

PRESIDENT: Ms. Spence is confirmed. Moving on to Senator Smith's confirmation report, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Smith, as Chair of the General Affairs Committee, would report on the appointment of John McCafferty to the State Electrical Board.

PRESIDENT: Senator Smith, please.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the body, Governor Orr recently reappointed Mr. John McCafferty to the State Electrical Board to serve a five-year term. The General Affairs conducted a confirmation hearing for the reappointment