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SENATOR LAMB: Call-in votes would be acceptable.

PRESIDENT: Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 17 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The house is under call. Will you please record your presence. Those not in the Chamber, please return to the Chamber and record your presence. Call in votes are authorized.

CLERK: Senator Crosby voting yes. Senator Ashford voting yes. Senator Hall voting yes.

PRESIDENT: Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 9 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

PRESIDENT: Debate has ceased. Senator Hefner, please, to close.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, this motion would suspend the rules so that we could take a vote on this confirmation report. I know that a lot of us have priority bills that we want to get to this session, and we've spent an hour and a half or two hours, nearly two hours on this confirmation report. I think that it's been said by many of us here today whether we support it, or whether we don't support it. I don't know what more can be said. And I don't know who else would be appointed that would be able to get along with some of these people. And so, at this time, I'd just like to have us take a vote on this confirmation report.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the...shall the rules be suspended? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. It takes 30 votes. Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President, are we under call?

PRESIDENT: No.

SENATOR HEFNER: Okay, I would ask for a call of the house...

PRESIDENT: Okay, the question is...and...