

that it makes a rational type of sentencing impossible. What Senator Johnson is trying to do will not be hurt by my amendment. My amendment is an attempt to restore some appearance of rationality to what is being done. If you don't adopt this amendment, it is not going to do anything, not going to make any difference. If you do adopt it, it will incorporate into his amendment a bit more of logic that ought to exist in...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...sentencing processes.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question is the adoption of the Chambers amendment to the Johnson amendment to LB 976. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, I will ask for a call of the house and a roll call vote.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is, shall the house go under call? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 18 ayes, 1 nay to go under call, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The house is under call. Members, please record your presence. Those members outside the Legislative Chamber, please return and check in. The house is under call. The house is under call, members please return to your seats and record your presence. Will the Sergeant-at-Arms please cooperate and move members back to their seats. Those outside the Chamber, please return. Senator Landis, please check in. Senators Moore, McFarland, Robak. Senators Haberman and Wesely, please report to the Chamber. Senators McFarland, Haberman, Wesely and Moore, the house is under call. Senator Chambers, the other two are supposedly on their way. May we proceed or do you want to wait? Thank you. Members, return to your seats for a roll call vote. The question is the adoption of the Chambers amendment. Mr. Clerk, proceed.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 1666-67 of the Legislative Journal.) 15 ayes, 17 nays, Mr. President, on the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion fails. Another amendment on the desk, Mr. Clerk?