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LR 419

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time.

SENATOR NELSON: ...and with that, I have tried too and to cooperate with the top management.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Question.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. Shall debate now cease? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Debate ceases. Senator Warner to close on the adoption of your amendment.

SENATOR WARNER: Again, Mr. President, the amendment in no way restricts the ability of the Legislature to encourage the retention of the headquarters in Grand Island. That's exactly...that wording is all there that has the impact of doing that and certainly under the Now, therefore, be it resolved, would state that the Legislature encourages ConAgra to retain the Country General Stores headquarters in Grand Island, Nebraska. And that's the purpose of the resolution, as I understood it. What I did change was only in the whereases that reflects what I would think this body would want, the majority would want, and that is the enactment of the legislation which is referred to was, in fact, for a healthy business...a more healthy business climate for all parts of the state and for all businesses that might be affected, and that's all it does. And I would urge the body to adopt that amendment and then proceed and enact the resolution as nothing taken away other than...nothing taken away other than the implication, that's how it will be used, that the majority of this body passed the bill that primarily was intended to only affect one and I don't think that is true. I think a great many senators supported that bill because they felt it was good for the state as a whole.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of the Warner amendment to LR 419. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? A record vote has been requested. Please vote if you would care to vote. Record, please.

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