

PRESIDENT: That's right, that's closing. The question is, shall that portion of the committee amendments be adopted? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 2 ayes, 30 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of that portion of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: That portion of the committee amendments is not adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have nothing further pending on LB 7.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill to E & R. Senator Warner, please, on the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I would move that the bill be advanced. As it now stands it does serve as the vehicle to address the issue, at least in one fashion, that was raised by the Supreme Court decision. I think what the body has done leaves it a very clean bill. I appreciate Senator Landis' approach. So it's clear, I understand the agenda will be adjusted to take up LB 6 and have it placed on General File, which motion I will make, or I guess I have it filed. I will support putting it there. And it's Senator Haberman's bill, obviously I will defer to him from that point as far as how it's used. But I understand he has no objection to that process. Then each of you can vote on the corporate tax as you see fit without any jeopardy to LB 7.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Hefner, please, on the advancement of the bill. Senator Wehrbein, advancement of the bill. You had your light on. Senator Haberman, on the advancement of the bill. Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yeah, Mr. President, I would like to, and I'm not as prepared to speak as I should be maybe, but I think we've spent most of the day today debating the corporate income tax, and we tend to forget what LB 7 is attempting to do. And I guess I just...I'm not sure, at this point I don't know whether I'm going to vote to advance LB 7 or not vote to advance LB 7. But I think we need to stop and think, if we are assuming that this is the final answer, that if we merely classify railroad property as a separate classification and exempt it, if that's