

done. Or they sat there with you and said, eat it. Well, I mean, this is Brussels sprouts time, folks, and I'm saying eat it because right now I don't have anything else to serve you. The menu is very short. The menu is very short here and none of it tastes any good, but the fact of the matter is we do have to eat and I would again urge adoption of this amendment. I will put up, offer the motion and then I will ask, after it's been adopted, if we can...if there is no discussion on the bill and we can advance it over, I will ask unanimous consent to bracket the bill where it's at till next Tuesday, at a minimum, and continue to discuss this issue. Maybe there is a better idea out there. Maybe there is a more tasteful entree that will go down a little easier. I'm not sure there is but I'm willing to take a look. I would ask everybody to pick up their fork and adopt this amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Hall. We will now vote on the Hall amendment. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 2450 of the Legislative Journal.) 26 ayes, 18 nays, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The amendment is adopted. Do you have any...

CLERK: Madam President, I have a priority motion. That priority motion is by Senator Withem.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, I will share with the body what I had offered and was serious about it, I think, with that last vote we ought to proceed, but I had suggested...was going to suggest to the body that we bracket the bill until after the sine die date with the recognition that we were going to have to do this during a special session. It appears as though, by a very slim margin, that we are in a position where we still may be able to do something with LB 829 so I would withdraw that motion.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Withem. Mr. Clerk, further motions?

CLERK: Madam President, a second priority motion. Senator Conway would move to bracket the bill until May 28.