

Lynch here?

SENATOR LYNCH: Question.

SPEAKER BAACK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. We will now vote on ceasing debate. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on ceasing debate. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 18 ayes, 14 nays to cease debate.

SPEAKER BAACK: Debate does not cease. Senator Robinson, you're next.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I'm glad Senator Chambers clarified one thing, that he's older than I am, much older. Okay, you remember yesterday we talked about perceptions? Senator Moore and Senator Hall started talking about perceptions. Well, Senator Hall lost the race on perceptions. Senator Chambers, you know, it applies to you just as much as it applies to me on how much light there is and how much noise there is. I can tell...I can tell you a lot of people that think you're noisy. I think you're a nice guy but, you know, it's how one perceives it. And that's what this situation is about. Senator Hall perceives Lincoln and Omaha. He does not perceive rural Nebraska. Talking about the little towns you're talking about, Senator Chambers, and you're right on how they're drying up. But they have businesses there and they don't have the income. Whether you like it or not, they don't have it. You and Senator Hall ought to go up there to some of those restaurants and places. They're even having trouble making it to the next day. Hi, Senator Chizek, how are you? The people...you can see where the battle lines are. It's misperception is what it is, whether you like it or not it's misperceptions. Senator, I agree a lot with what you're saying, Senator Chambers, but there are a few things I don't agree with you on. I don't think there are very many people in Omaha that are getting below minimum wage if the business is making 275,000...grossing \$275,000. I would urge you to bring my bill back to Select File where it belongs.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Robinson. Senator Ashford, you're next.