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of when does that take effect, not whether the will itself is valid. I believe the language of the bill is broad enough to include oral, written, any form you want. So I think the living will itself would be valid.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Okay, thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Bohlke. Senator Ashford. Okay. Does anyone else wish to speak to this amendment? Seeing none, do you have closing, Senator Lindsay?

SENATOR LINDSAY: On the amendment to the amendment I would just remind you that this...the amendment to the amendment simply tightens up the definition, so it's not as vague, makes it...physicians duty a little bit clearer. I would urge the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Lindsay. We'll now vote on the Lindsay amendment. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk. Sorry, we do need 25 votes. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of Senator Lindsay's amendment to his amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The amendment to the amendment is adopted. Before we proceed, I would like to make some introductions to the senators. The doctor for the day is Dr. David Johnson of Lincoln, he is seated under the north balcony. Welcome and thank you for being with us today. Please rise and be recognized. Thank you. Also special guests today of Senator Peterson is Michelle Engle of Norfolk, and she is seated under the south balcony. Ms. Engle, will you please rise and be recognized. Welcome to the Chamber. And a special guest of Senators Elmer and Schimek is Floyd Schippert of...the Harlan County Assessor, and he is seated under the north balcony. Would you please rise and be recognized. And seated in the south balcony is special guests of the senators today are eight members of the American Association of University of Women for the State of Nebraska. Would you please rise and be recognized. Welcome. And, finally, special guests today of Senator Schimek are 50 fourth graders from Lake View Elementary here in Lincoln and their teacher. Would you rise and be recognized. Welcome. Now proceed with debate on the Lindsay amendment. Senator