

**SPEAKER BAACK:** Thank you, Senator Withem. Any other discussion on the amendment by Senator Wesely? Seeing none, do you wish to close, Senator Wesely?

**SENATOR WESELY:** Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, this is a reflection of LB 981, a bill that I introduced along with Senator Beutler, Rod Johnson, Morrissey, and Senator Schmit. Senator Schmit the father of the Department of Environmental Control has given his blessing to the name change to the Department of Environmental Quality. It is something that we did consider last year and time ran out, and have a lot of support, I think for the name change. I'd ask for support for this amendment.

**SPEAKER BAACK:** Thank you, Senator Wesely. You've heard the closing. We will now vote on the Wesely amendment to the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

**CLERK:** 18 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment to the committee amendments.

**SPEAKER BAACK:** The amendment to the committee amendments is adopted. Next amendment, Mr. Clerk.

**CLERK:** Mr. President, Senator Morrissey would move to amend. (Morrissey amendment appears on page 1557 of the Legislative Journal.)

**SPEAKER BAACK:** Senator Morrissey.

**SENATOR MORRISSEY:** Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. This is an amendment, actually to change some of the wording of AM3566 that was adopted yesterday, where we were trying to clarify that household hazardous waste would not be included in the landfill bans we discussed. And we needed to change some of the wording yet to clarify further what we meant and what would be included in the landfill bans in the future. AM3566 struck household hazardous waste from the waste reduction goals of the landfill bans, but hazardous waste which is exempted from regulation is inserted in its place. Currently small quantities of commercial hazardous waste can go into the landfill if the volume shipped is under 200 pounds per month. The floor amendment here is intended to clarify that unregulated house...unregulated hazardous waste would be banned from landfills, and that the