

the bill does not advance, we cannot ask it to be reconsidered on General File. I cannot offer an amendment to do it at that point on General File, because we won't get back to it on General File. And so that is the dilemma that the people are in the support of the bill, 145, will be in. You're going to have to make a value judgment over the weekend, is it going to pass...does it have a chance to pass to Select File, and if it doesn't, if it may not do so, that's it, there's nothing because the amendment could not then be offered. And it cannot be reconsidered on General File. So that's why the amendment is here now, because I don't think that it can get to Select File, and I need...But I think if we can make the change, we can get something rather than nothing. But in fairness to Senator Wesely, I think he wants to talk to some people again. I think he wants to run a vote count, and so at this particular point I will be withdrawing the amendment and then immediately I'll subst...I'll put the amendment back in, but not until we have a motion to...to a...a friendly kill motion to lay the bill over until next...next week. And, at this point, I would respectfully withdraw the amendment.

SPEAKER BAACK: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: Senator, may I inquire. You want it reoffered then, have it on the bill pending? Okay. Mr. President, the next motion I have on the bill is by Senator Bernard-Stevens, that be to indefinitely postpone. Senator Wesely has the option to lay the bill over, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Yes, lay it over, please.

SPEAKER BAACK: It is laid over. Before we proceed to the next item of business, Senator Lynch, would you like a point of personal privilege?

SENATOR LYNCH: Yeah, Mr. Speaker and ladies and gentlemen of the Legislature and anybody listening, there's another birthday today. This lady's birthday is 21-plus, but I'm not quite sure how plus, but I think we all recognize her as one of the classiest ladies anywhere and it's a privilege for us in the Legislature to be able to have her working with us in this body, so I think we all should offer a hearty happy birthday to Sally Gordon.