

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, Mr. President, members. The explanation has been made, and it's correct that Senator Withem is sort of nervous. You've noticed the last couple of days he's been running around with this railroad bill, trying to hook it onto everybody's bill in the...in the...on the body. But three months, I don't think, is going to make any difference, because I don't see that the court is going to move that fast. I don't think it's a real problem, and so I...I don't think the arguments are that valid.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, since this may be the last time I'll speak during this session, I would just like to say that (applause). I would just like to say, and after I say this you might be extra glad that I won't speak, I'm glad that Senator Withem broke the silence of the Lamb.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Rod Johnson.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Question.

SPEAKER BAACK: That won't be necessary. Yours is the last light on. Do you wish to close on your motion to reconsider? Senator Bernard-Stevens, do you wish to close? We will now vote on the motion to reconsider. And I might remind the body, this takes 33 votes to reconsider. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to reconsider the vote on Final Reading with the emergency clause attached.

SPEAKER BAACK: The motion to reconsider is successful. We will now revote on LB 245 with the emergency clause. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2187 of the Legislative Journal.) 33 ayes, 10 nays, 2 present and not voting, 4 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 245, with the emergency clause attached,