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PRESIDENT MOUL: We have ceased debate and I will recognize Senator Crosby for closing.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you very much, Madam President. I have listened to everything you have to say. I still think we should bring this back and vote on this amendment. Just because there was no opposition to the bill, formal opposition at the hearing doesn't mean there was not any opposition to the bill. If somebody slipped and didn't come to the hearing, that still doesn't mean...because a lot of people oppose or support bills and don't come to your hearings, right, Paul? Okay. Okay. At any rate, I...I...that argument just sort of escapes me. But I think the League is being a little bit autocratic about the whole thing. And I go...and someone said that it doesn't have anything to do with freedom of the press. I didn't say that it did. All I say is that people like to read names and that is what you look for in the newspaper. These things are not published on television or on the radio or anywhere else. It's in your daily newspaper. When you see something on television or hear it on the radio you...most of us want to read it in the newspaper too. That newspaper is very important. It's still very important to us. And, as was brought out in some of the discussion, the public schools in some towns still run it under ordinance and I just think...one of the things I might mention is that the Legislature, quite often, the reporters go and dig out how much travel legislators have spent for every year from tax dollars. Maybe we should put all this in one big bill and have everything published. My point that I'm making here right now is this, I want you to vote on whether or not to return to Select File. If that doesn't go, I want you to vote against the bill. In the interim, I think we should look at the whole spectrum of what is published and what is not published and make it the same for every town, city, village. Why should it be different in...in big, little, or in between? So, at the moment, I ask you to vote to return to Select File for the amendment and then if that doesn't go, I will ask you to vote against the bill. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Crosby. We'll now vote on the motion to return to Select File. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted?

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