

September 28, 1992 LB 20

make the bill effective December 1 of this year. So it would allow, I guess, some warning or some transition before the cut does take effect. I would urge that the amendment to the amendment be adopted, and then that the committee amendments also be adopted.

SENATOR CONWAY: Thank you, Senator Lindsay. We're now voting on the amendment to the amendment by Senator Lindsay. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 20 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Lindsay and Wesely's amendment to the committee amendments.

SENATOR CONWAY: Mr. Clerk, additional amendments to the bill?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to amend the committee amendments. Senator, AM21SS. (Chambers amendment appears on pages 97-98 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CONWAY: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this amendment is coming around now. And what it does is to amend the committee amendment so that, in effect, it becomes the bill that Senator Wesely had wanted to offer on this same subject. And it would allow these payments during the last three months of the pregnancy of every poor woman. I'm offering this because it makes the bill less onerous than what it is right now. It still is not right. When it comes to something being right there is only one way to be right. This is also defective, so it is not right, but it does less wrong than LB 20 without this amendment. If this amendment is adopted, I would still not be in a position where I could support the bill. But it's something like during World War II when the Nazi's needed trucks, so the representatives of that regime talked to the western allies, America, and said, and I think they might have gone to the Pope also as an intermediary, we'll trade you Jews for trucks, in exchange for so many Jews you got to give us some trucks. And that fell through. While little Jewish babies, Jewish mothers, Jewish old people, male and female were being herded into gas chambers and their bodies being burned in crematorium, an approach was made to Joseph Kennedy, who was representing the interests of America in Europe at that time. And the agreement would have been, had America accepted it, to allow so many Jewish children to come to this country to fill up