

adopting rules and regulations to carry out the intent of this law, all of that remains. But this extra reference to the ADA and its application across the different divisions of the department is just a step beyond what we wanted to do. So I would ask you to support the committee amendments. I understand the concerns that you may have to try and comply and share the concern that we all have for the hearing impaired, but this bill helps address those specific concerns that they brought to us. The amendment though takes away that additional liability, additional potential entitlement and, in my view, additional potential for a veto down the line that might be there with this legislation. We wanted to remove those questions, remove those barriers and move forward with the bill as, I think, originally intended and with this amendment we'll be able to do that. So I would ask your support for the committee amendments. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Wesely. The question before the body is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 25. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Senator Wesely has requested a call of the house, and there's been a request for a roll call vote. All those in favor of a call of the house please vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays to go under call.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: There's been a request...there is a call of the house. All those...will all unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. Would senators please return to their seats. The house is under call. Will all senators please record your presence. Senator Matzke, Senator Pedersen, Senator McKenzie, Senator Pirsch, Senator Day, Senator Schrock, Senator Wehrbein, Senator Elmer. Senator Bohlke. Senator Bohlke is excused. The senators are here. Roll call vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 448 of the Legislative Journal.) 29 ayes, 9 nays, Madam President, on the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The committee amendments are adopted. I raise the call. We now turn to a discussion of LB 25. The Chair recognizes Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Madam President, and members, and I do appreciate the fact that we had this discussion about the