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one that I selected because it has some bearing on what we've done in the past with regard to economic development. This will allow them the ability to plan, it would allow for some certainty, it would allow for the boards of those public power districts to make a policy and themselves plan with regard to what necessary output is going to be required should an operation under the Nebraska Development Act move into their locale. I think that five years may be long enough for one area of the state. There may be other areas where they have business plans that far exceed the five-year time frame and they might very much like to have the ability to plan for up to 15 years. This does not mean that it is a mandatory time frame although I do believe, in fact, that it will become the floor and not the ceiling in most cases, but it will allow for some flexibility between the limitation of one to five years as how the bill is currently drafted. With that, I would urge adoption of the amendment that would increase from five to 15 years, the period that the board of directors of these utilities could negotiate for a separate and more beneficial rate structure for these individuals who qualify. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Senator Hall. The question is, shall the Hall amendment to LB 828 be adopted? All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Can I get a call of the house and a roll call vote?

SENATOR LINDSAY: The question is, shall the house go under call? Those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 10 ayes, 0 nays to go under call.

SENATOR LINDSAY: The house is under call. Unauthorized individuals please leave the floor. I'd ask the members to return to the Chamber and check in, please. The house is under call. The house is under call. I'd ask the members please return to the floor and check in. Senator Bernard-Stevens, Senator Beutler, Senator Matzke, Senator Pirsch, Senator Robak, Senator Pedersen, Senator Bromm, Senator Coordsen, Senator Schellepeper, Senator Cudaback, the house is under call. Would you please return to the floor and check in. Senator Dierks, Senator Day, Senator Fisher, Senator Schrock, Senator Vrtiska, Senator Wesely, Senator Wickersham, Senator Hillman, Senator