

me just briefly remind you once again what the amendment does. It strips out of the bill all financing provisions and simply inserts into the bill those amendments that have been advised by Accountability Commission and had been advised by other members of the Legislature should be addressed, mainly technical matters. It does deal with the two little bit more than technical matters which I described to you in the debate that we've had this morning on this bill. Please remember that these matters in this amendment have not been objected to by anybody. I understand that with respect to other provisions of the Campaign Finance Reform Act there are still questions. There has been the request to review and adjust two or three different items which we most certainly can sit down and think through. But I hope you will see fit to adopt these amendments at least which have not been disputed or criticized in any way. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Beutler. The house is under call. We are looking for Senators Warner, Schellpeper and Pirsch. Senator Warner, Schellpeper and Pirsch. Senator Pirsch and Senator Schellpeper. Senator Lindsay, I believe it was your motion to put us under call. Go ahead. Have not had a request for anything other than a machine vote so I assume we'll proceed with a machine vote. All in favor of the Beutler amendment vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Senator Beutler. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The Beutler amendment is adopted. The next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: We are now debating the advancement of the bill. Lights I have on are, call is raised, Senator Wesely, Senator Crosby and Senator Chambers. Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members, I will take advantage of the time to speak a couple of minutes about how I feel about what we did two years ago and what we're trying to retrieve now. I just off...I never have liked the idea of public funding of campaigns and I think perhaps part of my reason is what's happening right now. We have a very difficult