

check in, please. Waiting on Senator Schellpeper, Senator Avery, Senator Chambers, Senator Cudaback and Senator Maurstad. Senator Wickersham, time has elapsed. We are in the middle of a vote. We will take that vote. Would you like us to proceed?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: If we could do that in reverse order by roll call, please.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Reverse. There has been a request for a roll call vote in reverse order. Senator, all the senators are not here, would you like us to proceed anyway? Yes. Mr. Clerk, please proceed.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 1660-61 of the Legislative Journal.) 26 ayes, 9 nays on adoption of Senator Wickersham's amendment to the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Wickersham amendment is adopted. We have run out of time. LB 385. I raise the call.

CLERK: Madam President, LB 385, a bill originally introduced by Senator Landis. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 12, referred to the Banking Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending by the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Landis, to open on the committee amendments.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Madam President, and members of the Legislature, here is a bill with no other bills being attached to it. Here is a bill with 11 people who testified, all in favor of the bill. Nobody testified in opposition, 7 yes votes, no no votes, and a measure that is a clean-up of a piece we did last year in which we created the Insurance Fraud Division in the Insurance Department. In the intervening time, the Insurance Department went out and had a sort of a working group to help advise it on how to set up this division and then it asked for additional language to assist the division in this work. The bill, itself, does several things. It creates an election between one of two ways to go after insurance fraud, civil penalties or criminal penalties. It also establishes a relationship between the Attorney General's Office that will do most of the prosecuting and the Insurance Department. It establishes the immunities for those people who are telling the