

SPEAKER WITHEM: The house is under call. Members, please return to the Chamber. The question under consideration is the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Members please return to the Chamber, record your presence. The house is under call. Unauthorized individuals leave the floor. While we are waiting, would recognize guests of Senator Witek in the north balcony. There are 75 fourth graders from Disney Elementary School with their teacher. You will notice one of them looks a lot like Senator Witek, so if you'd all stand and be recognized, please. Senator Bernard-Stevens, Senator Bohlke, Senator Bromm, Senator Crosby. Senator Engel, could you check in, please. Senator Wickersham, please, you are wanted on the floor. Senator Beutler, how do you want us to proceed?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Cautiously, Mr. Speaker. (Laughter)

SPEAKER WITHEM: I can understand that. That's not a lot of direction, though, so in terms of the manner of accepting votes.

SENATOR BEUTLER: It would be fine to accept call-in votes.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Call-in votes have been authorized.

CLERK: Senator Lynch voting yes. Senator Schellpeper voting no.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Schimek. Senator Schimek has requested a roll call vote. When members are all present and accounted for, we will take a roll call vote. Senator Bernard-Stevens. We will now be taking a roll call vote on the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Mr. Clerk, call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 1782 of the Legislative Journal.) 19 ayes, 16 nays on the amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The amendment is not agreed to. The call is raised. Next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Schimek, but I have a note that you would like to withdraw that amendment, Senator.

SPEAKER WITHEM: It is withdrawn.