

SENATOR ABOUD: Madam President, members, I feel that this bill will help to reduce costs for school districts by providing a good system of resolving disputes. That's my intent behind the introduction of the bill. It is my hope that with the use of the special masters bringing in a third party to mediate, negotiate the disputes that there will be less of a need for the CIR, and that's certainly my goal with the legislation. I support the bill in its amended form, and I urge the body to move its advancement over to Select File. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Abboud. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 365. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Senator Abboud.

SENATOR ABOUD: Madam President, I'd request a call of the house and I'll accept call-in votes.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: There's been a request for a call of the house. All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 21 ayes, 5 nays to go under call, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The house is under call. Will senators please return to their seats. Will all unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. The house is under call. There's been a request for a roll call vote. Will senators please check in. Senator Engel, Senator Kristensen, Senator Withem, Senator Cudaback, Senator Brashear, Senator Wehrhein, Senator Schrock, Senator Elmer, Senator Crosby, and Senator Lynch and Senator Hillman, will you all check in, please. Senator Maurstad. Senator Engel, Senator Maurstad, Senator Wehrbein, Senator Crosby, Senator Schrock, Senator Lynch, and Senator Hillman. Senator Lynch and Senator Engel, will you please check in. Mr. Clerk, there's been a request for a roll call vote in alphabetical order. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 365. Mr. Clerk, please proceed. Senator Abboud.

SENATOR ABOUD: I see that there's still one member that hasn't...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: He just sat down, Senator.