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SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Could we have a call of the house please and I'll...so many, we might just as well have a roll call and just do it that way.

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

CLERK: 16 ayes, 0 nays to go under call.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The house is under call. Will all senators please return to their seats. Will all unauthorized personnel please leave the floor, the house is under call. Senators, please check in. Senator Abboud, Senator Schellpeper, Senator Coordsen, Senator Avery, Senator Withem, Senator Cudaback, Senator Pirsch, Senator Maurstad, Senator Robak, Senator Schrock, Senator Brown, Senator Chambers, Senator Lynch, Senator Kristensen. Senator Withem. The question before the body is the adoption of the Bernard-Stevens amendment to the McKenzie amendment to LB 742. There's been a request for a roll call vote. Mr. Clerk, please proceed.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 2487 of the Legislative Journal.) 23 ayes, 9 nays.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: I raise the call. The Bernard-Stevens amendment fails. Mr. Clerk, next item on the bill.

CLERK: Madam President, the next amendment I have is by Senators Pedersen and Avery. (AM2456 appears on page 2488 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Chair recognizes Senator Pedersen to open on his amendment.

SENATOR PEDERSEN: Madam President, members of the Legislature, when this bill was on General File I had the school boards in my district come and ask me if I would carry an amendment that basically dupli...that this amendment is a duplicate of, with some of the language taken out. Talking to anybody about this