

SENATOR ROBAK: Yes, could I have a roll call vote, please, and have all the senators check in.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: There has been a request that all senators check in. Senators, please check in. Senator Abboud, Senator Jones, Senator Withem, Senator Pirsch, Senator Matzke, Senator Lindsay, Senator Abboud, Senator Withem and Senator Matzke. We're waiting for Senator Matzke. There has been a request for a roll call vote. The question before you is the adoption of the motion to return LB 860 to Select File. Mr. Clerk, please proceed.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 2773 of the Legislative Journal.) 16 ayes, 25 nays on the motion to return the bill.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The motion fails. Next item on the bill, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Madam President, the next motion I have by Senator Witek. Senator, AM1925.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Witek.

SENATOR WITEK: I'll withdraw that.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: Senator Beutler would move to return; AM2565, Senator. (AM2565 appears on page 2734 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Madam President, members of the Legislature, this amendment is being passed out to you and it is similar to the Robak amendment in that it basically just says that expenses incurred prior to the effective date of this act may be reimbursed upon application of the school district to the State Board of Education. And then it goes along and makes the necessary changes in other parts of the bill, but finally it then indicates that the funds shall be allocated based on the percentage of students a district or a system has in relationship to the overall student population of the state. And finally provides that if a district does not apply for the funds within two years after the effective date of this act, those funds are then available for other districts and systems