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check in please? Senator Avery. All the members that are not excused are now present. We'll proceed to vote on the amendment to the rules that's before the body. Sorry about that. Roll call has been requested, regular order. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 454-55 of the Legislative Journal.) 29 ayes, 19 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of rules change number six.

SENATOR COORDSEN: The motion is adopted. Next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I understand that Senator Kristensen has a notice of hearing for this Friday regarding certain gubernatorial appointees. In order to accommodate that request, I have a motion to suspend the notice of hearing rule so as to allow that hearing to take place.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Very quickly, as we end, or I assume we may be ending part of the day. We have three members of the Public Road Classifications and Standards Board we were set for a hearing yesterday, who either because of car travel, or car trouble or illness or one forgot, didn't get to the hearing, they're all in the same group, we want to make sure they have a chance to attend. Their board does meet this Friday. They will have the opportunity to personally appear before the Legislature. We feel it's important that they do personally appear. We continued their hearing from yesterday and would like to have a suspension of the rules to allow them to have a public hearing this Friday so they can personally appear for examination for their appointment and, hopefully, confirmation to the body. And with that I would ask for a suspension of the rules to allow for their hearing to be held this Friday at 12:30.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Senator Kristensen. Senator Lindsay. Senator Lindsay passes. There are no other lights on. The motion before the body is to suspend the rules to allow for a hearing by Transportation Committee this Friday. Senator Kristensen, did you wish to close on your motion? Closing is waived. We'll proceed to vote on the issue. Record, Mr. Clerk.