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amendment and having already opened on it and having given you a written description of it, there's not much else need be said unless Senator Chambers or Senator Peterson would have something they wanted to add to the opening. Other...if...seeing nothing, I would simply urge the adoption of the amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you. Senator Peterson, your light is next.

SENATOR C. PETERSON: Thank you, Madam Speaker, members of the body. And again, it is before you. Senator Brashear has explained it. Again I want to thank Senator Chambers for his help with this, and I would also ask for your support of the amendment and then ultimately the advancement of the bill. And I would give my time to Senator Chambers if he needs it.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam President, members of the Legislature, this is...this is so collegial here. I can't sing very well alone but we ought to each hit a different note, Senator Peterson, Senator Brashear and myself, and just see what we can come up with, but we don't want to spoil the moment. So all I want to say is that I also agree with the amendment and I hope we will adopt it.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. There are no further lights. Senator Brashear, would you wish to close on your amendment? Senator Brashear waives closing so the question is the adoption of the Brashear, Chambers, Peterson amendment. All in favor vote aye; all opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of the amendment, Madam President.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: The amendment is adopted. We now go to discussion of the bill. Seeing no lights, Senator Peterson, would you care to close on the motion to advance to E & R Initial? Senator Peterson waives closing. The question is the advancement of LB 299 to E & R Initial. All in favor vote all, all opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.