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handled in the private sector and, for that reason, I would like to again urge you to vote for this amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Discussion on the Smith amendment? Senator Smith, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to ask for a call of the house while my time expires.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The question is, shall the house go under call? Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 18 ayes, 0 nays to place the house under call, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The house is under call. Would unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. Would all members not excused please return to the Chamber and record your presence. The house is under call. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President. Hopefully, you've been able to listen to our discussion here. If not, I'd like to brief you as to what is at issue here. We're talking about having a very reasonable limitation on those folks eligible to reside without subsidy in a public housing project. I believe that this would, as I've said before, rein in the bill itself, the committee amendments now, and we can come up with a good policy, and if we need to modify this to meet the needs, if there's more demand than what we might think there would be, I think we can address that down the road. But I don't think we want to take too many steps and not be able to manage what we have before us. And so I would really encourage you to look to see where this is headed and how we can rein this in now rather than trying to do it later after too many...too much water has passed under the bridge. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Brown.

SENATOR BROWN: Request a roll call in regular order, please.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Request is for a roll call vote in regular