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unless maybe there should be more restrictions rather than less, so I won't be supporting the legislation. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Dierks. Senator Thompson.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Call the question.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: There being no lights on, Senator Beutler, you're recognized to close on the first part of your divided amendment to the committee amendments to LB 182.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I really have no closing. I think we're all in agreement on the first part of the amendment, that it should be adopted.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Beutler. The question is, shall the first part of the divided Beutler amendment to the committee amendments to LB 182 be adopted? Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the first component of the Beutler amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The amendment is agreed to. For debate on the remaining portion of the Beutler amendment, Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of the Legislature, let me tell you the two different parts that remain in the amendment and why I'm putting them in front of you this morning. The Omaha School District, I don't think the board has addressed this bill, but the lobbyist for the school district, when I talked to him yesterday, said there was one clarification that would be important to them, and that was that in their district they allow different high schools to adopt different policies. And so it's not my intention to interfere in that particular practice, and so there is, as part of this amendment, a statement that in a school district with multiple public high schools, and be reminded that this bill only applies to high schools, it doesn't apply to middle schools or grade schools. In a district that has multiple public high schools, the school board may adopt separate publication codes for each public high