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new material, other bills and so on. There are a variety of people who want to have other bills put on as we enter the last two weeks of the session. Some call it "Christmas treeing", others call it trying to get their bills and find homes to do that. We're going to attempt to try to identify an orderly process so there's not surprise and that people understand what they're voting for, and that's the purpose of trying to limit amendments. It's not that the Speaker doesn't like a bill or like the amendments. It's so that you have an orderly way to vote and you understand what we're voting on with some notice and without some surprise. We'll go through that process today. Over the weekend we're going to try to develop a system of identifying what may need to be passed yet this session and we'll be contacting you or give you some notice. Mr. Clerk, we next move to LB 1234.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 1234 has been discussed. It's a bill offered by Senator Schrock relating to ethanol. The bill was discussed yesterday, Mr. President. At that time, committee amendments were offered as were a number of amendments to the committee amendments, including one from Senator Connealy, Senator Preister, Senator Schmitt, Senator Beutler, Senator Bromm, Senator Chambers, Senator Jones. Mr. President, I believe I now have the committee amendments pending, but I have additional amendments. I have additional amendments to the bill, nothing further to the committee amendments at this time, Mr. President. Mr. President, I'm sorry, I do have an additional amendment to the committee amendments. Senator Chambers had offered AM...I'm sorry, FA358.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: I have nothing further to the committee amendments at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: We're debating the adoption of the committee amendments. Senator Schrock, you're recognized to close on the committee amendments. He waives closing. The question before the body is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.