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tax-free fringe benefit and only do that for the advantage of the employer without any regard to the employee? The only reason I can guess is Senator Landis is opposing my amendment is he wants to cut the fiscal cost of the bill by having employees taxed on the benefit. So I...you almost persuaded me, Senator Landis. You know, I am a Grinch. I do want to reduce the cost of these kinds of programs, but you didn't persuade me because I think the employees are more important. And the employees are more important than any little difficulty that an employer might have in keeping up with the Internal Revenue Code and maintaining a qualified plan so that the employees, not the employer, so the employees aren't penalized.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Wickersham. You've heard the closing on the Wickersham amendment, AM3334, to the Landis amendment, AM3330, to LB 925. All in favor of that amendment vote aye, opposed nay. We're voting on the Wickersham amendment to the Landis amendment. Have you all voted who care to? Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: (Microphone malfunction)...have a call of the house with a...

SENATOR CUDABACK: There's been...Senator Wickersham requests a call of the house...

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: ...with a roll call vote in reverse order.

SENATOR CUDABACK: All in favor of the house going under call vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 11 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to place the house under call.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The house is under call. All unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. Unexcused senators report to the Chamber. The house is under call. Senator Wickersham, did you request a roll call in reverse order? I did not hear you.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes, I'm sorry. I was trying to speak over your speaking. That wasn't very polite.