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here in the building. So we will go ahead. I know there are concerns by Senator Chambers and Senator Bourne, and so on. Senator Bourne, we will work on it as a committee and I'm sure Senator Kruse would agree with that. It is a major change on DWI and the way we handle those convictions, and prior convictions, and it also is a major rewrite, as Senator Chambers has pointed out, on the statutes concerning DWIs, the whole process. So it's a major change, reorganization of the statutes and so on. And I, personally, I'm confident it's basically correct. There may be some changes to be made, but we will pledge to work on that. And I would ask for adoption of the committee amendments. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Baker. You've heard the closing on the committee amendments to LB 208. The question before the body is, should those amendments be adopted? All in favor of the motion vote aye, opposed nay. We're voting on adoption of the committee amendments offered by the Transportation Committee to LB 208. Have you all voted who care to? Senator Baker, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BAKER: I think we're going to have to ask for a call of the house, please.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Is that a request for a call of the house?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The question before the body is, shall the house go under call? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 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. Senators, please record your presence. Senator Janssen, Senator Combs, Senator Raikes, Senator Schrock, Senator Landis, Senator Cunningham, Senator Tyson, Senator Beutler, and Senator Thompson. Senator Baker has