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opposed nay. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 21 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 Chambers, if you wish to start your close now, your five minutes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: He asked for the call of the house. Until everybody is here, I'm going to wait before I start my close.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You have that privilege. Senator Jensen, Senator Bromm, Senator Friend, Senator Schrock, Senator Cunningham, Senator Quandahl. The house is under call. The house is under call. Senator Jensen, Senator Friend, Senator Schrock, Senator Cunningham, Senator Quandahl. Senator Schrock, the house is under call. All members present or accounted for. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close on your amendment, FA1224.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the Legislature, although I'm closing, I did not ask for this call of the house. Senator Tyson, whose bill this is, asked for the call of the house. Now I have to level with you. This is an amendment that you might accept, you might not. But you need to know that it does something of substance. If you'd paid attention, you might support the amendment, you might not. Now I'm not going to ask for a roll call vote on this. My amendments are presented for one reason or another. If it's not for one reason, Senator Combs, then it's for another. As Senator Don Wesely said...I was down in my office one time, and he was up on the mike talking. I don't even remember what the subject was, but I will never forget what he said. Talking about Ulysses S. Grant. Ulysses S. Grant said he had two favorite songs, only two. One was Yankee Doodle Dandy, and the other one wasn't. (Laughter) I thought that was so clever, I wished that I had said it originally. But because I think it's clever, and I've said it, I have to make the attribution. You may be aware of the fact that I'm trying to kind of take your