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opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 38 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Hudkins' amendment to Senator Beutler's amendment.

SPEAKER BROMM: The amendment is adopted. I'll raise the call. We are on AM1971. We're back on discussion on AM1971. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. I did want to clarify my opposition is to AM1971 and not Senator Hudkins' clean-up amendment that was technical in nature. That is my specific reason for rising right now, but that is to oppose AM1971 based on the fact that I believe it will lead to duplication, and that is the Capitol administrator won't get his or her way on shared services then that will create new services, and I can't imagine that over time that this agency...because I think we need to be honest and say that it does create a new agency. I mean, that's with the power to do the very "impactful" activities that we've been discussing, I mean we need to say what it does, and to me this is something that is not a good trend to pursue right now in the times of tight budgets and situations that could very easily get out of hand. And I urge a red light and urge opposition to AM1971. Thank you.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Beutler, no further lights on your amendment, if you'd like to close.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Bromm, I'd like to ask for a call of the house.

SPEAKER BROMM: A call of the house has been requested. All in favor of the house going under call please vote aye, and opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to place the house under call.

SPEAKER BROMM: The house is under call. Members who are not excused please report to the Chamber and record your presence,