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SENATOR SMITH: I'm unfamiliar with the process relating to closing for a motion such as this on Select File.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Smith, many times we do this on an issue of importance, such as this here. It is not a new thing. It's got a precedence to close if there is a debatable motion. If it's not a debatable motion, it's an automatic aye, advance/not to advance thing. It's a normal issue. We've done it many times before.

SENATOR SMITH: H'm.

SENATOR CUDABACK: And you can request it. Anybody can request it, if they wish to, on Select File. Ready to proceed for a vote, readvance LR 11CA, Final Reading. All in favor of the vote...motion vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the readvancement of LR 11CA, Final Reading. Have you all voted who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 13 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to readvance LR 11CA.

SENATOR CUDABACK: LR 11CA is readvanced. Mr. Clerk, next item.

CLERK: Mr. President, pursuant to the Speaker's direction, Senator Janssen would move to return LR 11CA to Select File for specific amendment, AM3572. (Legislative Journal page 1516.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Janssen, you're recognized to open on your motion to return LR 11CA to Select File for a specific amendment.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. The amendment, AM3572, is essentially the same as what was voted upon by the body on LR 14CA, Senator Schimek's bill. I'll tell you what it will do. It would allow casino gaming at up to two locations that would have to be authorized by the Legislature. After the initial legislative authorization of a casino location, the voters of the county must either approve or disapprove casino gaming in that county. It allows the Legislature to provide for the authorization, operation, regulation and taxation of casino