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SENATOR STUTHMAN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. I've been listening to the discussion most all of the morning. And I would like to talk a little bit about the comments that Senator Baker made about his school district, you know, making decisions to combine, cooperate, doing that on their own. The thing that really concerns me is, you know, there are some districts that realistically should be closed, should combine and be with another school district. But I realistically think, do we really need state legislation, you know, to do this, to force several to do something that should realistically be done on their own, in respect to the students' education and the property owners of the district? So that is the concern of mine. I...in my district, you know, we're fairly well populated. It's not a large issue, a big decision in my issue. But we have some districts that are right close to me that are really affected by this. So I'm trying to keep an open mind, but I'm realistically thinking that, you know, should we as a legislative body, you know, legislate something that realistically should be done and be the responsibility of the school boards, the administrations, and the property tax owners in that district? So I'm keeping a very open mind on this at the time right now. And with that, I will return the balance of my time to the Chair. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Stuthman. Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Senator Cudaback, I respectfully call the question on AM0354.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do see five hands. All in favor of ceasing debate vote aye; those opposed, nay. The question before the body is ceasing debate on AM0354. The question before the body is, shall debate cease? Have you all voted who care to? Senator Janssen, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR JANSSEN: Like to have a call of the house, please.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Been a request for a call of the house. All in favor of the house going under call vote aye; those opposed,