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SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, okay. Then I will continue. The point that I'm making is this. Business created this problem. They now want labor, working people, to bear the brunt of it. Remember, when Senator Beutler and Senator Cunningham were talking about average weekly wage in Nebraska, minimum wage jobs are included in that, and many, many women hold minimum wage jobs. Minimum wage has not been increased in this state in I don't know how long. That brings down the overall wage. And business is against raising the minimum wage. They're against everything except you giving to them what it is they want. And I'm going to make it as difficult as possible for you to do that, as well as try to cut the workers. I want to make that difficult for you, too. Mr. President, I'll ask for a call of the house.

SENATOR CUDABACK: There's been a request for a call of the house. All in favor of the house going under call vote aye; those opposed, nay. Record, please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 18 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, and unexcused senators report to the Chamber. The house is under call. Senators Dwite Pedersen, Senator Jensen, Senator Pahls, Senators Hudkins, Langemeier, Heidemann, Cornett, Senators Fischer, Stuhr, Schimek, and Brown, Senators Price, Kruse, Baker, and Beutler, and Senator Bourne and Senator Aguilar, the house is under call. Senator Brown, please report to the Chamber, please. Senator Schimek, Senator Stuhr, Senator Price, Senator Baker, Senator Bourne, Senator Aguilar, Senator Hudkins. Senator Heidemann, Senator Jensen, and Senator Dwite Pedersen. Senator Heidemann, please report to the Chamber, please. Senator Hudkins and Senator Price. Senator Brown. Senator Dwite Pedersen. The house is under call. All senators please report to the Chamber, that are unexcused, rather. Senator Dwite Pedersen, Senator Heidemann, Senator Brown. Members, please check in if you're