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they feel it is absolutely necessary that they cannot care for this baby, that they find a safe haven for it. And we need education for this program. I introduced a bill this year to form a task force to look and study this issue. As I say, we are only 1 of 5 states; 45 states. Last year, Iowa saved six babies because of their safe haven law. So you can't tell me that there's enough education. We can always use more education. I believe if Senator Crosby were here, she would be scolding all of you. She was a mentor who really believed in saving children and working with those young pregnant mothers. So I felt I had to express my thoughts on this issue and I will be opposing the reconsider. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Stuhr. Senator Engel.

SENATOR ENGEL: I call the question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do see five hands. Question before the body is, shall debate cease on the motion to reconsider? All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. Have you all voted on the question who care to? Have you all voted? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 3 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was successful. Debate does cease. Senator Schimek, you're recognized to close on your motion to reconsider.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Mr. President. I'd like to ask for a call of the house, please.

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 vote nay. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to place the house under call.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The house is under call. All unexcused personnel please report to the Chamber. Unauthorized personnel