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me and this is the reason I'm fighting for this. It isn't because the nursing industry gave me this bill. I have a direct interest in it and I'm concerned. And this is the reason I'm doing it. I know the opposition or the people that are for the bill says the nursing homes are behind me. Yes, they've helped me. But they're not telling me what to do. And I feel this is a proper amendment and the people that are there are getting training or they wouldn't be there anymore after 12 months. This is a natural phenomena; they can't do it, they're going to be leaving. Any nursing administrator will tell you this. So I think it's ridiculous to try to put another section of law and to require these people that have been on the job for many years to take some more training. So I ask you to support this amendment.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to return LB 273 to Select File for the specific amendment of Senator Sieck. All those in favor, vote aye. Opposed, vote no. Take another 20 seconds for the vote to be completed. Clerk will record the vote. Roll call.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken.) (See pages 2209-10 in the Journal). 22 ayes, 22 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. And the Call of the House is raised. Anything further on the bill? We had diverted from the first page, we were, Senator Chambers, do you want to take up your motion on 59?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

PRESIDENT: Chair, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to return 59 to Select File for specific amendment. The amendment would be, (read amendment). (See page 2210 in the Journal).

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Chambers and Chair asks for order. Go ahead, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, very seldom do I have the opportunity to offer such a simple amendment. I'm asking that you give it your serious consideration. If you have any questions, I'll be glad to answer them but at this point I'm asking that you return the bill to adopt my amendment.

PRESIDENT: Is there discussion on the Chambers motion? Senator Labeledz, do you wish to speak on this?

SENATOR LABEDZ: (No response).