

SENATOR BEUTLER: Thirty seconds, Senator.

SENATOR DECAMP: I urge you to reject the amendment and advance the bill. It does have the emergency clause, as I suggested. If you think you need to wait a little while to get more information, I would be happy to do so. But this issue needs to really be taken care of kind of as quick as you can.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: I call the question.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Voting aye, Pat. Please vote. The motion is to cease debate. Please vote. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Debate is ceased. Senator Haberman, to close on your motion.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Senator DeCamp says that you won't solve the problem by a severe penalty. What Senator DeCamp is saying is...and Speaker Nichol really didn't explain properly what these penalties are. Now a Class I misdemeanor is a maximum, that is the worst you can get is one year in prison or \$1,000 fine, or both. But usually what they do on these Class I misdemeanors is they give you civic duty, or they put you on parole, or they fine you maybe \$10. So what Senator DeCamp is saying is it is okay to lie, you are only going to pay a \$10 fine. That is what he is saying. It is okay, go ahead, lie, but pay the \$10, or do a little, ten hours of civic duty. Yet it is the most important part of the bill. Now a Class IV felony says a maximum of five years imprisonment or a \$10,000 fine. Now that doesn't mean they are going to fine them \$5,000 or put them in the pen for ten years (sic). It means they can do that. Well, now Senator Pappas seems, and he is rightfully so, we should let the people know what is going to happen to them. That is correct. So let's really let them know what is going to happen to them. Let's show them if they lie, which is the key to the whole bill, it is going to cost them. Now I'll give you an example of what the courts can