

things that are coming upon us and to become slack in our duties and try to put things off and put the hard thoughts off. But you know we've put in so much time and energy on this particular issue. We've thought through so many things. A summer and a fall and you will have forgotten the arguments and we'll come back here again and it will be the same political pressure. It will be the same political pressure on both sides. We don't escape that. We've had two days of debate on this. I don't think we should waste it because you escape nothing. So I suggest to you that we give it one last try, that we try to get our thoughts organized one last time on both sides, have one last pitch battle and be done with this issue. Years and years, it's every year I have been here in the Legislature this issue has been back and back and back and back and everybody knows we have to be done with it, that it will be back until it's compromised. We're almost there. We're right on the brink. I just encourage you and hope that you will give yourselves the opportunity for a final solution this year in a couple of weeks. I'd ask the adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Those in support vote yes, those opposed vote no. Twenty-five votes required. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I'd like to have a call of the house and take call in votes.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is to place the house under call. Those in support vote yes, those opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 9 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Mr. President.

SENATOR LAMB: The house is under call. Please record your presence. Call in votes are authorized. A roll call vote has been requested. Please record your presence. The house is under call. Senator Haberman, please record your presence. Senator Labeledz, Senator Marsh, Senator Nichol. Senator Harris, please record your presence. Senator Smith, please record your presence. Senator Haberman, please record your presence. Proceed with the roll call, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken as found on pages 2034-35 of