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Welfare Committee amendments to Senator Pappas's bill, 643. Health and Human Services, thank you. Please record your vote. The motion is to cease debate. Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries. The debate is closed then. Senator Pappas. Senator Lynch, did you wish to close on this, or Senator Pappas...what is your...there are committee amendments as amended is what we are now voting on.

SENATOR LYNCH: Well, I would like to say that I'm sure if you're Irish, you'll have to understand that sometimes we should and do laugh at that. There were two hospital administrators, Chip Thomas and Roger Keetle, that went to a funeral home one night. Roger looked down into the coffin and said, old Charlie really looks good, doesn't he? Chip said, he ought to, he just got out of the hospital. But, so you understand. (Laughter.) Well, in any case. Yes, Mr. Chairman, I'd move the adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: All right. Motion is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of the committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Committee amendments are adopted. Now, Senator Pappas, what do you want to do with the bill?

SENATOR PAPPAS: I'd ask to advance the bill.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to advance the bill. Do you want to...discussion. Senator Hoagland. May we have order in the Chamber, please. (Gavel.) Senator Hoagland.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: I'd just like to make a couple of brief comments, and I'll keep these short, in support of the motion to advance because I think it might be helpful to members in considering any amendments that might be offered on Select File. There may be a Select File amendment to bump, to 100 percent, the amount that has to be trusted. Let me indicate that I think that is a bad idea. I think