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is changing it from two years to no years?

SENATOR JOHNSON: That is correct.

SENATOR HEFNER: And raising the interest rate from nine to eleven?

SENATOR JOHNSON: And raising the interest rate, that is right, Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Okay, thank you.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Dworak.

SENATOR DWORAK: Mr. President, I call for the question.

PRESIDENT: You are the last one. So we will have, is there is any closing, Senator Johnson.

SENATOR JOHNSON: No, I don't think I need any closing, Mr. President, other than to state that these are very...this is a very simple amendment designed to clean up the problem that is left by the way the Dworak motion was passed.

PRESIDENT: Very well. So the question before the House is the adoption of the Johnson amendment to LB 84. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Johnson's motion, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries. The Johnson amendment is adopted. Amendment on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator George Burrows moves to indefinitely postpone LB 84.

PRESIDENT: Motion to indefinitely postpone. The Chair recognizes Senator Burrows.

SENATOR BURROWS: Mr. President, presently the bill shortens the period that a person has if they can't pay their taxes by two years. We have got two groups primarily affected by this adversely and they are agriculture, the farmers of the state, and the elderly people, many of these that this two year period would allow them to fill out the rest of their lives in their own homes where they have extremely poverty situations. The second point, it raises the interest 2% and I do not feel in any way we had justification of these