

to test, if you want to risk your viability which you say is the heart of the matter, if you want to risk the minors and control over it, if you want to risk the entire law, here is where you have got it all on the line. Here is where you are risking everything and I am saying as a legislator, as a lawyer, as someone who says it is time to have some laws in the state, it is important that you adopt this amendment. Mr. Cunningham is a lobbyist. Mr. Cunningham represents a point of view of a select group and properly so. Now for seven years, and I am the first to admit it, for seven years we have black and whited this thing. I could have thrown up amendments on here last year, three years, four years ago that would have said absolutely anything and if I pushed the green button I knew pro-life had forty three, forty four votes lined up. This year I am saying we have dealt with the subject in depth. We have a good bill and this is an amendment that is important to hold it all together. Without it I think you are going to see the thing enjoined. I think you are going to see it so people can fly in, hate to use these examples but I think they are right. People can fly in from Mexico or Sweden or you name it, get eight and a half month abortions. They can do that now you know. They can do that now. We have got no laws. Admittedly it is weakening the waiting period. I believe it is necessary. I think Senator Dworak indicated that he agrees it is a serious problem. It is where it is all at. He elected to land on the other side of the line on this. I have to add my input as a lawyer and say, no, it is not worth risking everything over this. We are still holding the waiting period.

SPEAKER MARVEL: One minute.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Got you. We are still holding the waiting period and that issue can still be tested in the courts. I reluctantly but honestly urge you to adopt the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the adoption of the DeCamp amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Once more, have you all voted? Last time, have you all voted? Clerk, record the vote.

CLERK: 15 ayes, 20 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to adopt.