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CLERK: Yes, Mr. President, there is a motion to indefinitely postpone that was last considered yesterday by the body.

PRESIDENT: All right, now I have for the attention of the members of the Legislature, I have a list of speakers that were asking to speak at the time we adjourned yesterday. I will read it to you and those that are here I am going to call on and then we will go on from there. Senator DeCamp, Senator Koch, Senator Wesely, Senator Vickers, Senator Newell, Senator Reutzel, Senator Keyes and Senator Marsh. Now anyone in addition to those that wishes to speak may turn on their lights. The Chair recognizes Senator DeCamp, speaking to the motion to indefinitely postpone.

SENATOR DE CAMP: I call for the question.

PRESIDENT: Senator Reutzel. Oh, all right, before we start, Senator Reutzel, you may proceed. You have an announcement.

SENATOR REUTZEL: Mr. President, members of the body, I know you have probably been waiting for this for a long time. The Secretary of State informed our office yesterday that any constitutional amendment which is to be on the primary ballot has to be passed by this body by February 28th in order to be on the primary ballot. They would prefer it by the 22nd because of a new federal regulation. They have to translate the ballot directions into Spanish and they have to go to Omaha to get someone to do this so they would prefer it by the 22nd but absolutely by the 28th.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Reutzel. Now, Senator DeCamp, you may proceed on the indefinite postponement motion.

SENATOR DE CAMP: I just call for the question. We already debated it.

PRESIDENT: All right. At least we can go from there. We have debated it long and hard that is true. Do I see five hands? One, two, three, four...now I see five. All right. All those in favor of ceasing debate on the motion to indefinitely postpone will vote aye, opposed no. Have you all voted on the motion to cease debate? Senator DeCamp, what do you want to do?

SENATOR DE CAMP: How many are excused?

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