

yet (machine malfunction) of approach. One of them is the emergency which is not changed by this as has been pointed out by Senator Cope. That part of it is not changed. Also the normal bidding procedure is not changed. These are those more or less housekeeping sorts of things that power districts handle on an ongoing basis but what this forces those power districts to do is to first they have a board meeting. They have to have it certified by the engineer of the impracticality of going for bids first. Then they have to wait until their board meeting. Then they have to have a two-thirds vote of the board to approve the engineer's certification that it is not worth going to bids for and then they have to advertise three times in the paper. Well the only power district which there has been any indication that has been abusing this sort of thing that is not being making known what, to the people that are interested, that there is work to be done has been NPPD and Senator Wesely very properly has come up with a procedure which NPPD should follow in these cases because they have not been responsive to the contractors in this area. This is an effort really to save the bill. I think with this amendment the bill can go forward, can do what was indicated at the hearing that was necessary and proper, will not put an undue burden on other smaller power districts which should not be affected. I ask you to adopt this amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the return of LB 34 for an amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed no.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting aye.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted on returning LB 34? Have you all voted? Senator Lamb.

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. Chairman, I will ask for a Call of the House.

SENATOR CLARK: A Call of the House has been requested. Technically we are under Call. Everyone should be in their seats at the present time. Do you want a roll call vote?

SENATOR LAMB: I will have the roll call vote but I think, Mr. Chairman, we should see that all the people on Final Reading are supposed to be in their seats so I would ask that before the roll call we would see that all the people are present.

SENATOR CLARK: Everyone will check in please. Senator Haberman, for what reason do you arise?