

They are accompanied by their teacher. Welcome to the Legislature this morning. Senator Beutler, would you like to close, please.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I think I just made my closing actually, Mr. Speaker. I didn't realize there were no other speakers. Once again, I would encourage the body though to keep a sense of balance and to adopt the amendment which will then...you will have before you then a bill that is a compromise between the rights of employers and employees, and proceed on that basis. I think it would be a good compromise. I move the adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the Beutler amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. There are still three excused. We are voting on the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, once again I will have to ask that people check in, and I'll take call in votes.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Would you please record your presence by pushing your green button. Thank you. I think two or three have strayed from the fold. Would you please return to your seats so we can see who you are, like Senator DeCamp, please, Senator Chronister, please, Senator Schmit. (Gavel.) Ladies and gentlemen, let's return to our seats so we can get on with the show. We are lagging a little here and we should move. So please return to your seats and record your presence so we can get this vote. We are trying to get the green buttons pushed so we can see who is here. So please record your presence. We're voting on the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Call in votes are accepted. So if you care to vote on the adoption of the Beutler amendment, please do so, one way or the other. Senator Withem and Senator Hefner, please record your presence. I understand Senator Hefner will be here in a moment. Senator Wesely. You've asked for a roll call vote? All right, the question is...Senator Hefner is here. The question is the adoption of the Beutler amendment. Roll call vote has been asked for. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 2362-63 of the Legislative Journal.) 24 ayes, 21 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.