

were about 40 or 50 amendments offered during the committee hearing process. The committee did its best to wade through these amendments. I'm sure that not everybody is satisfied with the decision that the Ag Committee made on this particular issue, but I would certainly suggest that we adopt the amendments. I think there is some language in the committee amendments that is vitally important to the bill, and then, of course, advance to Select File. I certainly am willing to sit down with any of the members of this Legislature that have some interest in this particular bill to try and work out whatever problems they may have with this legislation. But I think the committee amendments are vitally important to the success of LB 284.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of the committee amendments to 284, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The committee amendments are adopted. Now we are back to the bill. We have several other amendments and the Clerk needs to check to see if it is agreeable with those offering those amendments to withdraw them at this time. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Senator Pappas, Select File, Senator?

SENATOR PAPPAS: (Response inaudible.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes.

CLERK: Senator Schmit, I assume...Senator Schmit.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Schmit.

CLERK: You want to hold yours too, Senator?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Yes, of course, I'll hold mine also.

CLERK: Senator Lamb, your second amendment?

SENATOR LAMB: (Response inaudible.)

CLERK: Senator Eret, I...