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still everybody agrees needs to be made. Nobody has...Senator Abboud through all of his talk has talked about what are we trying to do, are we stalling, is it unfair to damage his piece of legislation. What we are adopting is an amendment we need to adopt to clarify the bill, to put it in the form in which the committee supported it, and that he supported a couple of weeks ago, It is really a simple little amendment that we are adopting right now. I would please ask you to adopt it. Thank you.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the amendment of Senator Withem. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 1 nay on the adoption of the amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The amendment is adopted. Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Advanced.

SPEAKER NICHOL: You have heard the motion. All those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. May I just add an editorial note. While the amendment was not great, we did spend a great deal of time venting our feelings. This is what I urge you not to do in the future. We have amendments to make, to vote up or down, but we don't need to get excited as perhaps we might wish to do sometime. Thank you. Mr. Clerk. We will move on to 558 with the emergency clause attached.

CLERK: (Read LB 558 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Having complied with all the provisions of law, the question is, shall the bill pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Yes, with the emergency clause attached. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 977-78 of the Legislative Journal.) 45 ayes, 1 nay, and 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: LB 558 passes with the emergency clause attached. LB 640 with the emergency clause attached.

CLERK: (Read LB 640 on Final Reading.)