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projections and we will know more about that when we get the March receipts in and we should have them in the next three or four days. And so at this time, I would strongly urge you to support the DeCamp amendment.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Any other discussion on the DeCamp amendment? If not, Senator DeCamp, would you like to close on your amendment?

SENATOR DECAMP: Mr. President, the base is laid in there under either Senator Warner's proposal as it exists or my proposal. That is a fact. What my proposal does is save \$5.5 million this year for this budget, and I simply would say that it may be the best deal going as far as public employees are concerned but I doubt the votes are here, and I would urge you to support it, and would caution those that are going to vote against it that as you move deeper into this issue, as you move deeper in'o where you are going to cut, where you are going to spend, what your reaction to public reaction with all the new proposals that are going to come out from the Governor or other places are going to be, you may say this wasn't that bad an idea. We should have taken it. I urge you to do it now, and as I say, I won't attempt any more but I believe there will be other proposals and you could lose everything on Final on this bill, too. I know that some in here who are supporting it have no intention of voting for it on Final. Just pass that along.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Thank you, Senator DeCamp. The question is, shall the DeCamp amendment to LB 1250 be adopted? All those in favor will vote aye, those opposed will vote no. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Twenty seconds and then we are going to call the vote. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk. Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: I will ask for a call of the house.

SENATOR CARSTEN: A call of the house has been requested. All those in favor of going under call will vote aye, those opposed will vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 15 ayes, 1 nay to go under call, Mr. President.

SENATOR CARSTEN: The house is under call. All of those on the floor will please return to your seats and press your green button. All unauthorized personnel will please leave the floor. Those outside the Chamber that can hear me, please return and