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please. Senator Haberman, would you record your presence, please. Senator Abboud, would you report to the Chambers, please. We are looking for Senator Miller, Senator Rupp, Senator Chambers, please. Senator Rupp, please. We are looking for Senator Rupp and Senator Abboud. Senator Chronister, we are still missing two, Senators Abboud and Chambers. Would you want to have a roll call vote now or do you want to wait? Mr. Clerk, would you call the roll, please.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 1846-47 of the Legislative Journal.) 21 ayes, 17 nays, Mr. President.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: The amendment is not adopted. Mr. Clerk, do you have further amendments?

CLERK: Yes, sir.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: The call is raised.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment is by Senator Rod Johnson. (Senator Johnson's amendment appears on page 1847 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Senator Rod Johnson, please.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. President and members, this particular amendment would restore \$50,000 to the Financial Management Assistance Program, a cooperative program with the University of Nebraska and the Extension Service Program. Rather than take up all afternoon explaining the worthy necessity of the program, I am just going to offer it in good faith. It is a program designed to help financial management assistance to farmers and farm families to better coordinate their books. I think that it is probably a good program and one that should be...that the funds should be reinstated so I would move the advancement of the...or the adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Thank you, Senator Johnson. Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I just would rise to say that where we stand at the moment any additional funding will be in excess of what could have been funded with 25 million of additional funds, or virtually at that. And I would urge that we do not add any further appropriations to the amount currently in the budget. It may well be that we will have to reduce some