

amendment that appears on page 1448 of the Journal. There are no other lights on. Would you like to close, Senator Sieck, on this amendment?

SENATOR SIECK: Move the amendment.

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Sieck moves his amendment. All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote no. Many of us are present and in the Chamber. Please record your vote. We've approached over half a minute on this voting. We have spent a minute voting on this measure. I am going to call the vote very shortly if we have not achieved a disposition. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR LANDIS: The motion is adopted. We now have two amendments by Senator Johnson. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Johnson, do you have a preference which one you take up first, Senator?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. Clerk, I would like to pass or withdraw the amendment on page 1247, the one that you originally talked about. Senator Sieck's amendment superseded mine and basically exempts cities' construction sites from the bill. That was in agreement with Senator Hannibal who is part of the construction industry. So I would prefer to take the next amendment up.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Johnson would move to amend by, on page 15, line 1, by striking "ninety" and inserting "seventy-five".

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Johnson, on your motion.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. President and members, this is a particular issue that I'm sure that Senator Schmit and I will disagree upon, but in looking at the issue I feel it is important that the bill go back to the 75 percent funding level that came out of the committee. We changed it on General File. I'd be very honest in saying I was uncomfortable with that decision at that time. Some have indicated that if this is cut back to 75 percent funding that it may jeopardize the bill's ability to pass this year. I'm willing to take that chance from the standpoint I want to make sure that program is going to