

confront, I will try sometimes to rise above how I feel personally and do that which we all know is right whether we are going to do it or not. So I hope that you will not vote to keep these cuts. We have got to set the tone of how education is to be regarded in this state. We say that we are leaders. People tell us that we are leaders. So our job is to lead, and by leading, we should show the attitude that people should have toward education, and if we say cut it, cut it to the bone, then we are showing them that they should have little regard for it. So if the kids don't respect teachers, if they misbehave in the classroom, if they drop out...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Your time is up, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...they are just following the example we have set for them and they are really learning in a way that we should be proud of because they are picking up the only thing that we are teaching them.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, the motion before you is the adoption of the Chambers amendment which would strike Section 37 from the bill.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 92-93 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 6 ayes, 28 nays, Mr. President.

SENATOR BEUTLER: The amendment fails. From talking to people, it seems to me that if we adjourn and come back there will not be enough people here in order to do business properly so I would like to see a show of hands of those who would like to continue at this point to the advancement or to the failure of advancement of the bill as opposed to those who would like to simply adjourn and come back on Monday and take up LB 1 again. So my first question to you is can I see the hands of those...or let me ask, Mr. Clerk, how many amendments are on file at this point? One more amendment. I would like to see the hands of those who would like to continue on now and continue until the vote on advancement of the bill, can I see those hands. And those hands of those who would like to adjourn. Okay, Mr. Clerk, take up the last Chambers amendment.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, the next Chambers amendment would strike Section 38.