

probably not needed since there are no other lights. Senator Landis, do you wish to close?

SENATOR LANDIS: I do, just to remind the body what is before them at this moment. Plenty of chance to talk about LB 3, plenty of chance to catch that dagger into the heart of this ugly beast. But this is just a tiny, little amendment here, okay. This is just a little amendment that says, hey, you don't have to meet on Saturday to talk about this bill. This amendment changes from 20 days to 10 days following the passage, should it be able to be done so by an emergency clause, in which time this would be able to go into the next budgeting cycle for the appropriate December deadline. With respect to wholesalers, we've already been told on this floor that they try very hard not to buy stamps in advance. Why? Because it ties up their money over time, and time is one of the functions of the value of money. So it seems to me that we are looking at an industry that doesn't have a long backlog, but that tries very carefully, as a matter of fact, to operate it within its means. For that reason it seems to me that this is not an onerous burden by any means. We should be able to do this and simply solve ourselves some logistical problems for the Legislature without creating burdens for others. For that I would ask your adoption of this amendment to LB 3.

PRESIDENT: Motion is the adoption of the Landis-Warner amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Motion is the adoption of an amendment by Senators Landis and Warner to LB 3. Twenty-five votes required. Members who wish to vote on this amendment, please do so. Are there members out in the Rotunda who might wish to vote on the amendment? Bring him in. Members of the Legislature, wherever you are, we are in need of your presence here in the Legislature. Thank you. Have you all voted? Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted. Anything further on the bill?

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Do you wish to move to advance, Senator Landis?