

bill. I am not trying to change any aspect of the bill as it exists now. I am simply offering intent language, and if you look at page 2 of LB 1, you will see words that begin a statement, "It is the intent of the Legislature to adopt a central filing system for security interests relating to farm products pursuant to so and so and so. It is also the intent of the Legislature that upon the adoption of the central filing system that security interest holders be encouraged to use." So they are expressing in that intent language a desire of the Legislature in trying to coax those who would be in this situation to use this system, yet nobody expressed impatience with that. So, as impatient as everybody may be, the issue of LB 3 is properly before us. It is open to amendment. They didn't express the same impatience with Senator Schmit's amendment. Maybe I came one amendment too late but, nevertheless, that is the unfortunate position I find myself in. Nevertheless, I have to carry out to the best of my ability my duty as I see it. And I am going to read again for the record all that it is I am offering and it is intent language, doesn't change anything. "The Legislature finds and declares that sound public policy justifies the establishment of a procedure by which the economic and psychological stress of farm foreclosures may be mitigated. To this end, it is the intent of the Legislature that the Farm Homestead Protection Act be liberally construed to effectuate the purpose of providing mortgagors and trustors affected by this act with a meaningful opportunity to redeem his or her farm homestead." That is not controversial and I hope that the irritation which people feel at having been here a long time or their impatience at what really has been redundant discussion will not cause them to vote this amendment down simply for those reasons. It will not hurt the bill but it will declare what I have picked up as being the Legislature's professed intent. So I hope that you will vote to adopt this amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: You have heard the closing by Senator Chambers. The question is the adoption of the Chambers amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Please vote if you care to. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I would like to ask for a call of the house.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Okay, the question is, shall the house go under call? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.