

those before and I think what we need to do is just talk about it and see if we, in this body, agree with it or don't agree with it and talk about it in that way. No matter what we do, if we develop a managed care system and get employees back to work quicker, we're going to save money and that's going to save premiums and it's going to save employers money. So if that would be our goal, that's great, I agree with that goal, but in getting there I think we have to...

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR ASHFORD: ...talk about some of the more intricate and technical issues that do have an impact on employers and employees. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Ashford. Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, Senator Baack, I would move to call the question.

SPEAKER BAACK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. We will now vote on ceasing debate. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on ceasing debate. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? We are voting on ceasing debate. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

SPEAKER BAACK: Debate has ceased. I will go to Senator Lindsay. Would you like to close on your amendment?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Yes, Mr. Speaker, members, I think Senator Ashford touched on a lot of what I was saying or what I was trying to get to. I wish I could talk about the major issues here, but once we get there the bill is gone. I mean, obviously, there is a strategic reason for taking these up in the order that we've...the divisions and the way we've taken them up and the reason this debate has to take place in the Landis amendment because these votes will continue to be 40-4 or whatever they've been because that's just simply the way the bill has been drafted. I've tried to talk to some of you about some of the other major issues and I think it's fair to say the major issue remaining is, should workers be entitled to choose their own physician or should the company be entitled to choose a doctor for the worker? Unfortunately, we all get letters from