

wanted to make clear what Delegate Cardin has said. I shall vote for this amendment, because I think it is better than what we have, but I shall vote in favor of Amendment No. 5, deleting the whole thing.

I have had prepared over the weekend and submitted to the delegates a memorandum which explains a little more fully some of the legal implications in this matter, one of which is the matter of public employees, and I have also prepared an amendment which would differentiate between public employees and private employees, because I think that this is the only way this can be handled. It has been handled this way in every state where this has been adopted. Therefore, while I will vote for this amendment, I will still vote in favor of abolishing the whole section.

THE PRESIDENT: Does any other delegate desire to speak on the question?

Are you ready for the question?

*(There was no response.)*

The Clerk will ring the quorum bell.

The question arises on the adoption of Amendment No. 13. This is, as the Chair previously indicated, a perfecting amendment to section 1.17 offered while Amendment No. 5 is pending, and in no way affects the status of Amendment No. 5 at the moment.

Amendment No. 13 is before you. A vote Aye is a vote in favor of the amendment. A vote No is a vote against.

Cast your votes.

*(Whereupon, a roll call vote was taken.)*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Boileau.

DELEGATE BOILEAU: Please record me as voting Aye, Mr. Chairman.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Boileau votes Aye.

Has every delegate voted? Does any delegate desire to change his vote?

The Clerk will record the vote.

Delegate Beatrice Miller.

DELEGATE B. MILLER: Mr. Chairman, I voted wrong. I am terribly sorry. I voted No, and I meant to vote Aye. I am sorry.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Beatrice Miller's vote will be changed from No to Aye.

There being 121 votes in the affirmative and 15 in the negative, the motion is carried. Amendment No. 13 is adopted — I am sorry; 122 votes in the affirmative and 15 in the negative, the motion is carried. Amendment No. 13 is adopted.

The question still arises on Amendment No. 5. Is there any further discussion?

*(There was no response.)*

Are you ready for the question?

Delegate Hostetter.

DELEGATE HOSTETTER: Mr. President, members of the convention, I do not want to delay this any longer, but I still urge the adoption of Amendment No. 5. This amendment has not raised this provision to constitutional dimension. I think this has been the argument and debate from the very beginning. It makes a slight change in it, and a slight change only. It is still legislative in character, and I do urge all the delegates to support Amendment No. 5 and vote for it.

THE PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion? Are you ready for the question?

*(There was no response.)*

The Clerk will ring the quorum bell.

The question arises on the adoption of Amendment No. 5. Amendment No. 5 is an amendment to delete the entire section 1.17. A vote Aye is a vote in favor of the amendment, that is, to delete. A vote No is a vote against the amendment and would leave 1.17 as amended by Amendment No. 13 before you. A vote Aye is a vote in favor of Amendment No. 5, in favor of deletion. A vote No is a vote against.

Cast your votes.

*(Whereupon, a roll call vote was taken.)*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Boileau?

DELEGATE BOILEAU: Mr. President, record me as voting No.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Boileau votes No.

Has every delegate voted? Does any delegate desire to change his vote?

The Clerk will record the vote.

There being 67 votes in the affirmative and 67 votes in the negative, the motion fails. Amendment No. 5 is rejected.

DELEGATE KIEFER: Mr. President.