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we return to, number one, S. 3736, call attention of our completion to the fact amendment was made to that bill to conform it to the House bill, that amendment has been circulated. I ask unanimous consent it may be considered reported favorably with the amendment.

Senator Williams. Without objection it is ordered.

Now, on the nominations, on the Science Foundation, Science Board.

Senator Javits. Mr. Chairman, I move the committee proceed to consider the nomination of Berman, Dr. Berman, as chairman of the National --

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Senator Randolph. Can you not proceed to vote on it?

Senator Javits. Senator Randolph, I made the motion that we proceed to consider it for this reason, Senator Pell is in the middle of hearings on it, and I believe that this issue should decide whether those hearings shall go forward or end; in fairness to my chairman, he is my chairman too, I am putting the question that way and for the reason I explained.

Senator Williams. It is true that we announced there would be hearings on the nomination of Dr. Berman. We called the hearings. We are in the middle of the hearings.

Senator Pell. Not so much in the middle as we had hearings and as information has been studied as a result of those hearings, it would be unlikely we can hold another hearing before Saturday, before Friday when we recess. But I do not believe

the reason that my colleagues are familiar with this nomination should be taken up -- I think we are better off reporting this hoping for a new name set up by President Ford or whoever is in the White House next session.

I am ready to vote.

Senator Javits. I ask for a roll call, Mr. Chairman.

Senator Eagleton. Berman alone?

Senator Javits. Yes.

Senator Randolph. Please vote on it.

Senator Javits. Ask for a roll.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Randolph.

Senator Randolph. Aye.

Senator Eagleton. This is a motion to take up.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Pell.

Senator Pell. No.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Kennedy.

Senator Kennedy. No.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Nelson.

Senator Pell. No.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Mondale.

(No response)

Mr. Edes. Mr. Eagleton.

Senator Eagleton. No.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Cranston.

Senator Pell. "Nog" by proxy.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Hathaway.

Senator Hathaway. No.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Durkin.

Senator Pell. "No" by proxy.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Javits.

Senator Javits. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Schweiker.

Senator Schweiker. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Taft.

Senator Taft. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Beall.

Senator Javits. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Stafford.

Senator Javits. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Laxalt.

Senator Laxalt. Aye.

Mr. Edes. Mr. Chairman.

Senator Williams. No.

Mr. Edes. Seven to seven; the motion fails.

Senator Javits. Mr. Chairman, may I express to you and

Senator Pell and Senator Randolph my appreciation for allowing this matter to come to a vote. I know you could have prevented it. I appreciate it very much.

Senator Williams. Thank you.

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Senator Javits. I move Aguirre be reported favorably,

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Committee on Labor and Public Welfare
UNITED STATES SENATE

September 29, 1976

VOTE ON
MOTION TO PROCEED TO
CONSIDER BERMAN

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Vote Summary

YEAS	NAYS
Mr. RANDOLPH	
Mr. PELL	✓
Mr. KENNEDY	✓
Mr. NELSON	
Mr. MONDALE	
Mr. EAGLETON	✓
Mr. CRANSTON	✓
Mr. HATHAWAY	✓
Mr. DURKIN	✓
Mr. JAVITS	
Mr. SCHWEIKER	
Mr. TAFT	
Mr. BEALL	
Mr. STAFFORD	
Mr. LAXALT	
Mr. CHAIRMAN	✓
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