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235 should remain there until an A bill catches up with it. Now if this be the case let's do it that way instead of having all these amendments and then when the A bill catches up there we can proceed from there as to any other type of motions we would like to have. This has an expenditure of over fifty thousand dollars and I think an A bill is required.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? Senator Schmit, what, do you care to respond?

SENATOR SCHMIT: This bill can also be funded Senator Duis through an amendment to the appropriations bill, I checked with (inaudible) and I think that is also the way to go.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: Senator Schmit I'm trying to help to hold this bill on final reading without the necessity of all these amendments, and I think what you had better do is make that determination before we make any amendments to any holding action, we should ask that 235 be held there until an A bill catches up with it and if my thinking is correctly if this goes into the budget bill that becomes the A bill and it should be there at the same time that 235 has no chance of moving off of final reading until an A bill of some kind catches up with it, according to the rules, so I'd like to proceed that way instead of having any other action that would delay the passage of LB 235 because I think legally it, that is by the rules it is supposed to stay there right now, so I don't think we have a question, and I'd like to amend any motion that has been made that LB 235 be held on final reading until 235A catches up with it or the budget bill catches up with it.

PRESIDENT: Alright, now Senator Stahmer did you wish to be recognized here, you're passing, alright, now we actually have Senator Duis' amendment which would amend the Carpenter amendment to the Snyder motion to 235 on final reading. Now is there any further discussion of the Duis amendment? Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I don't care what you do, we are just trying to refine it, why don't we leave it like it is, as Senator Chambers said, this has no life except to the length that this body wants to let it live. You can change this thing in five minutes after you do something. Why don't we just go ahead and I only apologize, I brought this on, we are talking about eight million dollars, I think we can afford to spend a couple of hours on it, and I just think, I don't care what you do with the dam thing.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis..

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I think if we follow the rules on 235 with an A bill it will require thirty votes to suspend the rules to do anything and that takes more than twenty five at any particular time, so I think that by following this course of action, that we follow the rules with a 235 A bill catching up with it, it will not be able to be, that will not be able to be suspended except by suspending the rules which will take thirty votes.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis, we'll have to clarify the situation, we don't have an A bill involved in this particular matter, and I don't know how the Chair can rule on that or how the Chair can honor your motion when we don't have an A bill. I understand the predicament, but we don't have an A bill. Now Senator Duis.