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PRESIDENT: It's been asked for. There is one more light. But the previous question, we will take a vote. All in favor of discontinuing debate, vote aye. Have you all voted. Tabulate the vote. Tabulate the vote.

CLERK: 18 ayes, no nays, Mr. President to cease debate.

PRESIDENT: The motion loses. Well I might be able to help you a little bit, if you want the debate to cease there is no one asked to talk, so what's the purpose. Senator Burbach was just to close and that ends it anyhow. Agreed? Senator Burbach.

SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature I think this is an important amendment. I think we have an opportunity to express ourselves that we want somewhat more time than we say up to an hour. Whatever portion that would be, it would be I'm sure, with this amendment can in no way curtail that length of time. And so we are asking for some additional time, if there is important debate here. When there is an opportunity to explain to the people of Nebraska educationally not news wise. It's educational. To tell the people there will be hearings today, this coming week on certain days, by certain committees, when we only have half day sessions. It is an important time that we tell the ETV people we want more coverage in this area because it is educational. There is no infringement on news, because I can't possibly see that this is news, this is educational from the word go, that's the name of the firm or the ETV, Educational Television. And if we can justify a half hour, we can certainly justify up to an hour, and I move for the adoption of the amendment. I move that we adopt the amendment that would cost approximately \$10000 to ...

(End Belt #11)

(Start Belt #12)

PRESIDENT: Have you all voted? I'll vote yes.

CLERK: Senator Syas voting aye.

PRESIDENT: Have you all voted? Tabulate the vote.

CLERK: 5 ayes, 18 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The amendment loses. One more.

CLERK: Mr. President I move to amend LB997. (read) page 1018 of Journal)

PRESIDENT: Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman I think everyone should pay attention to this amendment because we are talking about a million dollars. This places in natural resources commission a million dollars. We are going a long ways at least in some respects a towards some funding of 975 which we passed the other day on the floor. Let me tell you what's happening, why I think we need to get Nebraska as a state involved in the development of our land and our water. And review once more