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SENATOR SIMPSON: Mr. President, I don't want to ask him any questions. Just to hear what I say, but it seems to me that we've had in this

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amendment and the substitute amendments, which was defeated that the issue of philosophy of government and where it is going to be proliferated. And we find that the department of Public Welfare under this is attempting to proliferate their own section on the state level, they have tied down the counties so that they cannot add personnel, and so we see a great rise in the number of people working in there. I think if we take this amendment and allow them to do the services themselves, rather than go to the county level, or to a someone in the public sector or someone other than that on the local basis, then we have made a mistake, so I would hope that we turn down this amendment also.

PRESIDENT: Now, is there any further discussion of the Cavanaugh amendment. All right, Senator Cavanaugh you may close. Senator Cavanaugh is now closing.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Well first of all, I was wondering if I could request division of the question here. Because there are two questions involved in this amendment.

PRESIDENT: The Chair has no objection.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: O.K. Between the amendment on page 17, which related to child care and the amendment on page 18, which pertains to aged, blind and disabled. Basic philosophy of the amendment on page 17 that relates to child care..

PRESIDENT: Please clarify so we can have it up here, Senator Cavanaugh we...

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: ; On page 18, it has line 26 strike the word purchase out. I would like to divide that from the...

CLERK: So take the first two sentences, and one goes in the third sentence in the second one.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Right.

CLERK: Thank you.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Starting with the amendment on page 17 relating to child care. What we are talking about and what the Department of Welfare is talking is, that there is..it is there feeling that in certain localities throughout the state there are no existing facilities from whom they may purchase child care. I do not believe it is their intent, or their desire to directly provide child care services in those areas there where they exist in sufficient quality and quantity to purchase the services. We