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even if it gets to Select File. I'm not commenting on what you ought to do with Senator Syas' amendment because I think it just adds folly to folly.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Chair recognizes Senator Keyes.

SENATOR KEYES: Well, Mr. President, I would like to support Senator Duis in what he's trying to do. I never, in my life, believed that we should have the State Board of Equalization setting the revenue, the amount of money we're going to get back on a tax credit . . . on a food tax credit. Senator Duis, I don't know where you're at now, but wherever you are, whenever we get through voting on this Syas and this Burbach amendment let's get yours in there and let's make it a dollar amount and let's let the folks on the floor of this Legislature have the nerve and have whatever you want to call it, I don't like to use some words I can think of very easily, but have that ability to say this is what it's going to be for this year. Next year we'll come back and it needs to be \$17, we'll make it \$17. This year we will make it \$16. Say that's what it's going to be and say . . . coming along and Allen Beerman and two or three others that you boys decide what it is and we'll agree with you. If we don't agree with you we'll find fault.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Senator Syas do you wish to close?

SENATOR SYAS: In the closing I want to know if there is another amendment offered?

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Another amendment?

SENATOR SYAS: Has there been another amendment offered? Is it \$16? Why don't he just amend mine for \$16? Alright. Here's the way I'll put it. You know what you . . . then that leaves the Burbach amendment . . . well. Alright, I ask unanimous consent to redraw . . . withdraw my amendment. Since you're going to have, as I initially said, a \$16 amendment up there is what I want.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Senator Syas asks unanimous consent to withdraw his amendment. Is there any objection?

CLERK: Motion . . . motion on the desk, Mr. President. I move . . .

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Seeing none, so ord . . .

CLERK: I move to strike the Burbach amendment and increase the food tax credit to \$16. Signed, Herbert J. Duis.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Chair recognizes Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I think we've had plenty of conversation, rhetoric and argument, and everything else in regard to this. If we don't know what's going on now, I can't add to it. I would suggest we merely vote. If we vote it down, we'll start from someplace else.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: You want to move to advance it?