

be willing to raise some taxes. But if you would accept cuts that I would want to make, I could find plenty of places to cut money and all of us could. But we know that the political realities requires...

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...to arrive at the point where the mere offering of a cut doesn't mean it's going to be accepted.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Bromm, followed by Senators Vrtiska, Byars, Robinson and Chambers.

SENATOR BROMM: Question, Madam Speaker.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Bernard-Stevens.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Was that, just a (inaudible), was that Senator Chambers' opening on the amendment? As much as I would like to call the question, I think we have to do our order. There has not been any debate on the amendment at all.

PRESIDENT MOUL: I agree, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Senator Bromm.

SENATOR BROMM: Well we've been talking about the same subject matter on the various amendments that we've had and the fact that we're at a 25 cent or 35 cent different level, the arguments are virtually the same, so we've debated this issue for a very long time and that's the only reason I called the question at this point.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Bromm. We will continue with debate on this amendment. Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I move that we recess until one-thirty this afternoon.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Items for the record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Madam President, Enrollment and Review reports LB 326, LB 327, and LB 328 as correctly engrossed. Senator Moore has amendments to LB 330 to be printed. That's all that I have. (See pages 2436-37 of the Legislative Journal.)