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SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...on February 25.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Hartnett.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Mr. Speaker and members of the body, Senator Wehrbein, the process would be this, is that the...in the budget, as you propose in your rules here, you could do it beyond the period of time; then the bill then would be introduced, say, going to Senator Raikes' committee, the Education Committee.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: (Microphone malfunction) Yes.

SENATOR HARTNETT: The bill would go, that would be signed by the members of the Appropriations Committee, it would go to Senator Raikes' committee, the Education Committee. There would be a public hearing on it and then the decision on the bill, whatever it is, say to cut state aid, I think that's the example that Senator Raikes used, would be then...the eight members of the Education Committee would make that decision whether to advance that bill out of committee. Is that correct?

SPEAKER BROMM: Are you asking...

SENATOR HARTNETT: Yeah, I'm asking Senator Wehrbein, yes.

SPEAKER BROMM: Okay. Senator Wehrbein, would you yield to that question?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: The answer to that question is yes.

SENATOR HARTNETT: And, Senator Raikes, can I ask you a question?

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Raikes.

SENATOR RAIKES: Yes.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Your objection would be, as I, you know, listened to you, and I think as I understood you, is that maybe that, cut state aid, should be done by another member, like