

Burrows' amendment. I know he is sincere in what he is trying to do and I am at a loss as to explain how you can do what he wants to do and maintain an effective grasshopper control program. Obviously it would be absolutely impossible because of the scope of those operations out there for a pilot to know when he was flying over the Clark ranch or the Reutzel ranch or the Stoney ranch. Those grasses in those sandhills all look a lot alike and when you are flying at a few feet off the ground, you've got plenty of things to do besides looking at a map to see just where you are at. Hopefully this is not a welfare program. I know it looks like one to some people and if it develops into that, then it deserves to be terminated but at the present time it is supposed to be a program designed to control grasshoppers and if you think we had troubles last year out there trying to run that program, then just try to imagine what it would be like if you would spread out a plat book of the sandhills and try to determine how many acres of one ranchers land was in this project and how many was in another project and I can assure you that it would be absolutely impossible, totally impossible, to carry out a program. I really...if we are going to do it on that basis then we just ought to scrap the thing. If the premise is that there is no public good to be served from the program then forget it. If there is a public good to be served then we should go ahead in a manner which the department has outlined for us in the past. The Burrows amendment as projected would destroy, wipe out, totally emasculate the control program. It could be no other result.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, I had a nice little speech I was going to give on this bill and it was so long ago that I dreamed it up that I have forgotten what it was I said and I congratulate you. I am turning my time over to Senator Nichol.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: I will make this very short. I think this is just another chance to harpoon it. Don't want to take your time. The reason has been stated why this is utterly unworkable. I urge you to defeat this bill. Thank you, Senator Kelly.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Cullan. The question has been called for. Do I see five hands? I do. All those in favor of ceasing debate vote aye, opposed vote no. Shall debate cease is the issue before us. Do you wish to cease