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going to happen. It didn't happen.

SENATOR KELLY: Okay, thank you very much. A question of Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Yes, Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Senator Vickers, is this the amendment that allows the Water Resources Department and University Survey Division and the NRDs to get together and guess whether we are going to have trouble or not?

SENATOR VICKERS: No, I wouldn't use that term "guess", Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Well use a term that I can understand.

SENATOR VICKERS: Well, it has to be computer modeling.

SENATOR KELLY: Okay, so they guess with the computer. Okay, thank you very much, Senator Vickers. Mr. Speaker, I have an amendment in this area as it would affect pollution and groundwater. Now this bill has been very fluid and the amendment that I have written is on the Clerk's desk, and I will be checking with Public Works Committee counsel to determine how this should fit into the amendment process here, that we thought that we were not going to have.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Schmit.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Schmit moves to amend the Vickers amendment.

SENATOR SCHMIT: I would prefer at this time just to speak for a just a second if I could to the Vickers amendment. Mr. President and members of the Legislature, as you all know, when we discussed what kind of rules we were going to follow this afternoon I cautioned you that you would not, no matter what rule you adopted, abide by it and that it was only subterfuge if you thought that we would eventually get through all of Select File. In line with Senator Sieck's request, I have...I withdrew my amendments that I had up there on the bill. I felt very sincerely and I still feel that LB 643 with the committee amendments was adequately discussed and debated on the floor. I felt that if we were going to spend another three or four hours that I had a right to offer to the body the amendments which I proposed and which the committee at one time entertained. Again, I say in line with Senator Sieck's request I withdrew