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to their neck and saying fight fair when he tries to bite you. I guess in short, Mr. Speaker, what I would ask is not that these rules be railroaded through but perhaps that we start back with the blue book like we should have at the beginning and let the rule changes that the chairmen wanted changed, let them go through the Rules Committee first. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, as I stated a few days ago I am not an authority on the rules and I don't attempt to use rules to accomplish what I would like to accomplish on this floor but I do realize that we must have rules. We adopted green rules at the end of last session and now we are being asked by you, Mr. Speaker, to adopt basically the blue rules which have deviated from those rules. I wasn't entirely satisfied last year with what we did at the end of the session nor am I entirely agreeable to what we are asked to accept now but as Senator Beutler has so vividly explained, we are now being asked to accept the blue rules which were thrown together this year as opposed to basically the green rules which ... we are asked to accept the blue rules which were thrown together this year as opposed to the green rules which were approved last year. I simply can't feel obligated, Mr. Speaker, to approve something when this body has a right to amend any rule or any bill on the floor. I can't understand why we should be asked to accept rules when it is the will of the body not to accept a portion of that rule, of those rules. If we want to go back and work them over again, either through the committee or on this floor, I think that is part of our prerogative and I think we should have a right to amend Senator Wesely's motion. I don't feel obligated simply because you are angry, Mr. Speaker, to abide by that without making amendments to his rules. I think that is our prerogative. I think we have a right to do it and while I very much respect you and always have and always will regardless of what comes out of this and I realize the predicament you are in and I will cooperate in any way I can, but I still don't think that we should be asked to accept an amendment without...a motion without being able to amend it. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, when waters are troubled there are two ways to deal with them. You can either pour water on the troubled...oil on the troubled waters to try to calm and smooth them to