

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I am sorry to bring this up again in a sense but some things that were said on LB 39 over the noon hour I have thought about and I am moving to reconsider LB 12 but it is on a condition that I would otherwise withdraw and that is that someone who voted on the prevailing side of LB 39 which was to override would indicate that they were willing to reconsider that and not override that. The basis for my thinking in part was some discussion that took place on LB 39 which one of the members indicated, incidentally, I have not talked to anyone on what I am proposing here, but one of the members indicated there was only concern from apparently the Governor's staff that both bills would not be overridden and I got the implication at least if one was that it wouldn't be all that bad. Now if that is correct then I would suggest that the wrong bill was overridden and the wrong bill was sustained because there is no tax relief out of LB 39 as was indicated that if it was not passed it would mean some programs and services would have to be cut at the local level for the county to pay their Medicaid bill but if it is passed they would still have that money to spend for other programs. So there obviously is no reduction in taxes. Whereas in the case of LB 12 there is a reduction in taxes, at least 4 dollars net taxes or 3 dollars less total taxes per person so that is clearcut tax relief or tax reduction. So what I am attempting to do without having visited with anyone is to inquire if there is anyone who voted for the override on LB 39 that would be willing to make the motion to reconsider and, secondly, if so, if they would be willing to offer that motion ahead of the reconsideration motion of LB 12 and then I would pledge to personally support 12 and its override and I would hope that 39 would not be overridden. Now maybe the Legislature feels that it has made its decision and that is that and that is all well and good but if it was correct that one could have been overridden then I feel very strongly we did the wrong one. So I will pause for a moment, Mr. President, if anybody would push their button to indicate they would be willing to do a reconsideration. Otherwise I will ask to withdraw my motion.

PRESIDENT: All right, if someone wants to they can speak to the issue and let you know. Is that what you want done? You want to somebody to tell you they will do it. All right. Mr. Clerk, maybe we could advise the body, those that are coming in, what motion is before the House. Yes, Senator Lamb. The Chair recognizes Senator Lamb.

SENATOR LAMB: I believe that we should just continue the schedule since there is no motion before the body at this point.