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to be covered under workmen's compensation for accident related injuries, yes.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay, the other question is, if they were allowed to do this, even on a voluntary basis, and some did wish to be included, would this have any bearing on the rates of workmen's compensation for other employers who do not wish to have this coverage?

SENATOR BARRETT: The answer to that would be no, Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: I assume you have looked into this to make sure that that is true because my only concern is the increase of cost if some wish to be included and I wouldn't want to see that cost transferred over to those who are not included in the coverage.

SENATOR BARRETT: Absolutely, and I might add, we did confer at great lengths with the Workmen's Compensation Court in order that the bill might be drawn properly and in proper form for the Legislature.

SENATOR NICHOL: I am really not concerned...excuse me...I wasn't really concerned with the thinking of the Workmen's Compensation Court as I am the people buying workmen's compensation coverage so that they would not transfer some of that cost, if there is additional cost, over to those companies or institutions who are buying the coverage and this would not increase their cost. So somewhere between now and Select File or somewhere along the line, I would like to see something from some insurance company to the effect that this would not affect the rates of others, and thank you.

SENATOR BARRETT: Thank you, Senator Nichol.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Dworak.

SENATOR DWORAK: Mr. President, colleagues, I think we are going halfway on this bill. I think if Senator Barrett wants self-employed, partners covered under workmen's compensation he ought to say so and mandate it. I think, Senator Nichol, you are right on target because it could affect the cost because you are setting up the potential of discrimination where depending on the hazard of the industry, depending on availability of other coverage through your regular group health and accident coverage where they have a choice between occupational coverage and away from the occupation. There is a strong tendency because of this option of selecting that we could affect

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