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SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: I just would like one clarification, Senator Sieck, that I think some people in the Fiscal Office helped prepare the amendment as they would any Senator's request but they do not recommend anything other than they provide research information, and neither do they speak for me and I probably would be better off if they did but they do not. So that is understood. As I understand the amendment, it doesn't affect the cost any. I don't have any problem with it.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Sieck, to close his amendment.

SENATOR SIECK: Yes, I will move that we adopt the amendment. It is just a protection for the restitution of the victim is all it is.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is to adopt the amendment by Senator Sieck. All those in support vote yes, all opposed vote no.

CLERK: Senator Lamb voting yes.

SENATOR LAMB: Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Sieck's amendment, Mr. President.

SENATOR LAMB: Anything else on the bill?

CLERK: One last amendment, Mr. President. Senator Vickers would move to amend the bill: (Read Vickers amendment as found on page 1381, Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President, members, the new language at the top of page 29 in LB 942 is intended I think to clarify the language on page 20 or line 20 on page 28 where it says that the audits and related activities can be done on a contractual or other basis for reimbursement; and then over here on the top of page 29, it indicated that they can levy a fee for the audits and related activities; and then further it says on lines 5, 6, 7, and 8 that for audits of state agencies the fees shall be reduced by a percentage equal to the percentage of the total amount audited that was funded from General Fund sources. And