

30 votes here to do that. In my consideration for the time of the body and our ability to get on to other business, I had suggested that that motion be withdrawn. I stand ready to renew the request to withdraw the remainder of these motions, again with the consent of those individuals that have co-sponsored this motion. Senator Chambers is probably right, the rule reads to me very clear that once a vote has been ordered, a motion cannot be withdrawn. Obviously, there has been a vote offered but we are left with two choices, to either proceed with each of these motions and vote them all down separately...I, at this point, will be voting no on this motion; or to renew the request to withdraw the motion or have Senator Chambers withdraw his objection. I think just as a comment, maybe, I think people need to be aware of some of the things we have been doing here with the rules this morning. I think that perhaps we ought to ask Senator Lynch to take a look at...have the Rules Committee take a look at some of the rulings that have taken place, some of the votes by the members of the body, to see what kind of precedents have been established because I think it's important for us in doing business during the rest of the session. With that and my opening is to ask you to vote no rather quickly on this suspension and no on the remainder of the portions of this suspension rule.

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Thank you. The Chair is pleased to take a moment to introduce the parents of Senator McFarland. Under the south balcony, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McFarland. Would you folks please stand and be recognized. Thank you. We're glad to have you. Senator Chambers, discussion, please.

**SENATOR CHAMBERS:** Just one thing for Senator McFarland. I am very pleased to meet his parents but, Senator McFarland, I think the introduction was of your parents and we clapped for them. You just stood up because that's the only way you'll get us to clap for you but I understand and we don't mind this time but don't do that anymore. Mr. Chairman, I had a reason for what I did this morning on the rules. And, Senator Withem, I'm not in the business of mind reading on the floor of the Legislature. I don't read light subjects. But here is the point, I didn't say that you...I didn't say that you were going to withdraw it and offer it again. I had just said that the only way somebody who offered that, you know, had offered an erroneous motion to suspend, the only way they could correct it, with the rule being what it is, is to withdraw it, correct it and then offer it again. But Senator Withem could move to withdraw the motion and