

Please, as you vote to advance this bill, and I hope you will vote to advance the bill, leave that door open that we can correct whatever problems come out of this legislation.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I know usually when you have been involved with a piece of legislation on the floor with amendments, it is presumed you do that on the basis that if something is worked out, why then you will support the bill. And I have been involved with some of these issues that are still a concern to me and it is not...I am not prepared to vote to advance the bill, though, certainly, it has improved from where it was, but I am still of the opinion that it will cover many areas beyond which has been envisioned or discussed. And while I will go back to an issue that I have no problem, basically, with the skeletal remains aspect, but it seems to me that we are very close to putting something into statute which probably will generate a lot of opposition, a lot of opposing viewpoints as to what it really does, and probably covers things beyond which we are not currently aware. For those reasons, I am just simply uncomfortable not knowing the full impact of some of the language as broad as it is. So with that thought, I do have amendments for A bills to help fund it, but I genuinely believe that this act will cover many areas beyond which we envision.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Baack.

SENATOR BAACK: Mr. Speaker and members, it is kind of nice to get to the end of this bill. We have been working on it for a long time. We have had a number of hours of debate here in the Legislature. I have had many more hours involved in the negotiation process between the two sides. It would have been nice if each of you could have had that same experience, I think. It was a real growing process. It really was. It was very interesting to sit and listen to the two sides as they negotiated back and forth, and the concerns on both sides, and both sides do definitely have concerns here, and this is precedent setting legislation. There is no doubt about that. We are going to be setting some precedence here, and we need to be very careful as we do that. I think we have done that. I think we have got a good piece of legislation here that is well spelled out and well defined, but, as Senator Wesely mentioned, let's not be afraid to come back if there needs to be some