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SENATOR SCHMIT: ...that might be something which could be utilized in the process. So, at this time, I would...I could not support the entire amendment. I might, after some more discussion and debate, have an amendment for the amendment. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, in view of the conversation, there is, obviously, no way that the Historical Society could select the site and force its use. It would, obviously, have to be done with the concurrence of the tribe and their agreement or it wouldn't be effective. Unlike some of you, I have great respect for the Historical Society and I will withdraw the amendment. It was offered in very good faith, and intended to honor the past, as I think it appropriately ought to be, but I have no interest in giving further deleterious comments to the Historical Society, its members, and as an organization that I have great respect, and I, hereby, request to withdraw the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. It is withdrawn. Any other discussion on the advancement of the bill? Senator Landis, followed by Senator Ashford.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, I would like to, and let me approach the bench, offer the first portion of the Warner amendment under my own name, and that is the amount of money designated for salaries and study. That provision should be adopted at this point and advanced, and I will approach the Chair to make that motion.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The body will stand momentarily at ease.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Landis would move to amend the bill. (See Landis amendment on page 1350 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, so that we may separate the issues, this has to do with the salaries. I thought Senator Warner's argument was excellent. I endorse it. It does not contain the material on the site selection nor the purchase of land, although I think that