PRESIDENT: Senator Moore, please.

SENATOR MOORE: (Microphone not immediately activated.)..in about 30 seconds. Since it's been about three months since we debated this bill, I was hope ... just want to remind the body of this Protocol Act, a bill that was around last year the Governor vetoed. Just simply encourage the body to oppose this bill as was said on General and Select File by a quote I'm not going to take credit for, I think Senator Warner said it, on the other programs many times the only way you keep a program from growing is not to start it. Though \$80,000 is indeed a minuscule amount given the hundreds of millions that we're spending this year, I think this protocol position is something that I think is unnecessary. It can be done with an existing state statute and can be done with existing officers of state government, and for those reasons I simply rise to oppose the bill if the body will vote against it's advancement. And now, that the body has been duly reminded of the lack of wisdom if they would pass this bill, I withdraw the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Read the bill, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 177 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 177 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read as found on page 2687 of the Legislative Journal.) 25 ayes, 20 nays, 4 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 177 passes. LB 177A.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Moore would move to return the bill to strike the enacting clause.

PRESIDENT: Senator Moore, please.

SENATOR MOORE: Yes, Mr. President, just to...on the A bill. This is one of those few occasions where, at least in my opinion, given the amendment we adopted on Friday night that created the Cash Fund, if Senator McFarland would yield to a