

try again and that we don't have a lot of respect for everybody concerned, because we do, and I do. They're all good people with a lot of well meaning views and intentions here and this just wasn't to be and I appreciate you giving me the time to give my remarks on this. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President. At this point in the proceedings, I would pull all the amendments that I have currently on file with LB 159.

PRESIDENT: Okay, they're all withdrawn. Do you have anything else on the bill?

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is signed by Senator Haberman and a number of members.

PRESIDENT: Senator Haberman, are you going to handle that? You want to withdraw your motion? Do you have anything else on it, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Yes, sir, I do. Senator Warner, I understand you...Senator Warner.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner.

CLERK: ...want to defer, Senator. Is that correct?

SENATOR WARNER: It could be passed over temporarily.

PRESIDENT: They are passed over temporarily.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next motion I have to the bill is an amendment by...is an amendment by Senator McFarland.

PRESIDENT: Senator McFarland.

SENATOR MCFARLAND: Thank you, Mr. President, colleagues, this thing has come up rather quickly. This morning I learned that 159 had been discussed, that there was a lot of confusion and a lot of disagreement and an inability to work out a compromise on the particular provisions of 159 and, for that reason, that the bill was likely going to be passed over. So I talked with Senator Ashford at lunch today. We, as many of you know, we