

occur. But the reason I'm mentioning it, I became aware of some things Friday that caused me to be concerned for the physical health of my colleagues. Some of you all don't lift weights, you don't exercise, and when you're in a pressure cooker type of tension-filled situation...

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ..things can happen that you're unaware of. So whether we take Senator Lamb's motion up or not in terms of voting "aye", whichever way the vote goes it would behoove everybody who is not as physically strong as I am to take that with a grain of salt and realize that it's not the end of the world. And having said that, Mr. Chairman, I think I'm going to offer an amendment to Senator Lamb's motion to strike LB 866 and insert in its place LB 708, which is my priority bill. I'm thinking about it, but so far I haven't drafted the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Warner, please; followed by Senator Lynch.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I'm inclined to be supportive of the Speaker's agenda just because that probably, in the long run, works most smoothly. I also think it's kind of an academic argument probably, hardly that, as I suspect that LB 866 with any kind of a tax increase would be vetoed too and, in all probability, after we adjourn. So we aren't spending a lot of time...we can spend a lot of time on it and probably not really have any impact. LB 84 was announced repeatedly as a one-time effort and if it turns out to be a one-time effort, why, so be it. Certainly people was well warned ahead of time what would be the consequences and that was not of a concern so there shouldn't really be any concern about those consequences, it would seem to me now. Having said all that, I'm...in part, because I think there's no chance of Senator Lamb's motion being adopted, I'm inclined to vote for it because it might be the one thing I can argue to people the way I tried to get that one up, too, for property tax relief. They both have tax increases. It's been kind of an interesting weekend for me. I went around and did something I do not do as frequently as I should, obviously, but I've been talking to a lot of people on the state aid bill and when LB 1059, if there was ever a bill that I've got mixed signals from people whom I would have thought would have been on one side or the other, this one certainly is in that category. So I still don't know