

attorney for somewhere for somebody. So I will, at this point, when it comes up to the agenda I will offer the motion. I don't know what Senator Haberman's attitude is on LB 6, but it's on the agenda. I have no intention of withdrawing it at this point. And that can become the vehicle to do what some of you wish to do if the majority wish to have a corporate tax increase.

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR WARNER: But I would urge the rejection, at least from my vote, the rejection of the amendment is for the reason I state. And I understand, Senator Landis, that you would take it off, but I've been around a long time and sometimes things get on, don't come off as easy, even though we all intend to have that happen. I think it would be more prudent to use some other vehicle to accomplish what it is that you're trying to accomplish than LB 7.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Crosby, followed by Senator Landis and Senator Morrissey.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. President and colleagues. I was pleased to hear Senator Warner speak again against this amendment. I have the feeling it's...and believe that this is not the time or the place to be setting any kind of tax rates. Probably I am the only person in this Legislature today who thinks and believes that we should be here. I am pleased to be here because ever since July, whatever the date was and the Enron decision came out, I heard from a lot of people that we had to do something about the Enron decision and the impact on local entities, that is what we're talking about, and we keep forgetting that. It's always great to immediately talk about the property tax owner, that that person is the one who is going to take the brunt of anything that happens in the tax situation. There has been a lot of figures thrown around the last couple of days, including the \$12 million that we talked about today. If you took that \$12 million and actually got it from all the corporations and took the \$12 million and handed it back to each local entity and said, give this back to the property tax owners, well you can figure it out, you're as good at math as I am. Most of us own some kind of property, we wouldn't get very much out of that. The thing that concerns me the most, and I'm so pleased that Senator Moore and Senator Abboud brought up some of these questions, it seems like this afternoon what we're