

should have looked at. We didn't and I concurred with that. I'm going to take a very hard-nosed attitude on overrides and I made no promises to anyone. I just want to state that this is one that I will be and it's simply a matter of equity and fairness, much as Senator Lynch talked about. In my opinion, there was either an error or a misunderstanding or something a year ago when this...this does...and this is correcting that particular position. I felt compelled to say something because, as we go along, I'm sure they're going to say, people are looking at things and looking out for themselves and so forth. But, to me, this one is simply a matter of fairness. We need to correct something that was not done a year ago and so I am going to vote for this one. And, as I said, I don't really intend on voting for any others because I have felt consistently that I wasn't going to vote for overrides. This one is a matter of fairness. And, with that, I conclude.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Bernard-Stevens.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Thank you, Madam President, and members of the body, I will kind of repeat just a little bit of what Senator Wehrbein said. I think one of the reasons the Appropriations Committee did not make any recommendations is simply because we didn't want to pick and choose between programs that we all knew...well, at one point or another we had already agreed upon and we said it's something we would like to do and it puts us in a difficult position so we did not, with the exception of one that did not have a General Fund impact. I agree with Senator Wehrbein and I certainly cannot speak any better than Senator Lynch did. This is simply a matter of fairness and a lot of things have happened in the past, this is one where later on I will be voting against an increase in mental retardation which actually will go out to my area, at least as far as parts of it, I will be voting against that, but this I agree with Senator Lynch is strictly a matter of fairness. It's something that we need to do, we should do, we should have done before, and I will be supporting this particular override motion by Senator Lynch.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Is there anyone else who wishes to speak to this motion? Seeing none, do you have closing, Senator Lynch? Closing is waived. We will now vote on the motion to override. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted on the motion to