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amendments here included in one amendment, a lot of different topics. And I guess what I would like to ask both Senator Kristensen and Senator Baack, if there's a possibility that we could divide this amendment, take the parts that we agree on, adopt and then maybe work on the ones that there's not agreement on, and perhaps come to some kind of conclusion on Select File. I don't know if that's a possibility or not.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Baack.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schimek, I don't think, by our rules, that you can divide an amendment to the amendment, I don't believe, but I'm not positive of that.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Could we ask the Chair?

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Baack, it would be the Chair's opinion that you could have a division of question, of amendment to an amendment, assuming that this is divisible as a practical matter. And I'm not sure what the breakdown would be by these...how...if you could make a suggestion, or Senator Schimek could make a suggestion as to which sections could be voted separately, we'd entertain that.

SPEAKER BAACK: Personally, I would prefer that we not do that, because it is...it is kind of a package kind of thing, it all fits together into one. And I don't know exactly how we would legitimately divide this into pieces and do that. You know, once it's attached I suppose we could...we could look at pieces of it, if we wanted to make some adjustment in the pieces after it's once attached. But this one's a little difficult to divide into logical sequence. I don't know exactly what I'd recommend for the division.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Senator Warner and Senator Baack, I didn't...I didn't have any suggestion as to what we should or shouldn't consider, I just wondered if that was a possibility, because there are really a lot of different topics included in this one amendment. And I agree with a lot of them, most of them. But I'm sure on a couple of others maybe we need to just keep discussing it. Senator Kristensen, I guess Senator Baack is feeling uncomfortable with that, so I don't know that I really need to ask you.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Okay.