

decision will have to be made as to whether to adopt his amendment or not.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Robinson.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Even if schools...even if the curriculum is sent in every year, Senator Chambers feels that that is going to make sure the program is implemented. That isn't going to be any guarantee that this program will be implemented. That's up to the superintendent of schools, his principals and his teachers. You can send curricula to the state department every day, but that has no bearing on whether it's going to be taught in the schools. That's what we should be...that's what we should be worried about instead of sending a paper barrage to Lincoln to have someone review it, folks. And we...just remember, we do not do this in any other curriculum area and I don't know the group Senator Chambers is talking to, but I've never heard of it. He talks like there are three or four people over there. I'd like to really know who they are and how many...what they do over there. I'm not aware of that group of people. I'm not saying it's not so, that maybe they are there, but I am not aware of it. If we have that group of people over there, why do we need an A bill, why do we need an A bill to put someone else on board over there to take care of it? Now that's something to ponder, isn't it? Think about that because the way Senator Chambers is saying we have this group of people over there, if we need them, maybe we don't need an A bill. But I would urge you to vote to my amendment because we don't need to send curricula in every year. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Robinson. Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, Madam President, members of the body, just some points of clarification on what I see as the impact of this amendment. First of all, adding the word "annually", as my amendment does, may or may not have a big impact on the bill and, frankly, Senator Robinson, stripping it out may or may not have a big impact on the bill because currently each school district shall present evidence in a form prescribed by the State Department of Education to the department and it does not indicate how often that will come in. The department may very well say monthly and this amendment saying annually could, in fact, be restrictive. On the other hand the department may say once every seven years and then this adding the word "annually" may, in fact, make it more burdensome and I think your