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SENATOR WILL: Yes, Senator Elmer, that certainly would not be my intent with this. I think that the...I don't think that there's anything in here that...you may read an implication into this, but I don't think there's anything in this rule that precludes the Legislature from changing the rules during the session.

SENATOR ELMER: Thank you, Senator Will. This is a rather...we can put all kinds of conjectures into this rule change suggestion, but until it's clarified a little more and what it actually will do, I don't think I can support this particular change. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Elmer. Senator Bromm.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Madam President. In the Rules Committee discussion on this, which was probably briefer than it should have been, the intent was very much as explained by Senator Will, and I think by Senator Beutler. And I don't think anyone thought that that was that sweeping of a proposal. But in hearing the discussion and particularly noting Senator Chambers' comments, I have to take note of that. And I think Senator Chambers and Senator Bernard-Stevens have a valid point, that certainly the literal interpretation of this rule can cause you some concerns if you would literally try to adhere to the proposed rule. I guess...I talked to Senator Will a few minutes ago, and I don't want to prolong this, but I wonder if we wouldn't be better off pulling this rule off and working with it, and working with Senator Chambers and Senator Bernard-Stevens and whoever is interested. We could come back, I think, with a clearer proposal. And the rule that's there now that we're trying to change certainly is one we can live with for a while, we have lived with it. I'm sure it was put there for a purpose, the rule that's there now. And I understand the concerns about changing it and not maybe being as clear as we should. So, I guess with those comments, I'm certainly willing to work with anybody that wants to try to improve the proposal.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Bromm. Senator Hall. Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Thank you, Madam President. At this point I think, as I indicated earlier, I think a lot more is being read into this than certainly is intended. And if there's language that can more accurately express what the committee intends, I