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not going to do that at this point. I am not even going to give a long argument against adoption of the permanent rules, even though by adopting some of the changes that you did, you will put into place things with which I greatly disagree, things that I believe, despite the disclaimers, were put in place primarily to shackle me. They won't succeed, and I assure you that you will be back here next January, grumbling and mumbling, doing the same thing with the same types of rules, and I might just get the transcript of this discussion, and instead of bothering my brain with coming up with new statements and new ways to say it, just read from each discussion we've had of each of these nonsensical, ineffectual changes. What I'm going to do, Mr. Clerk, so that I won't forget it. Mr. Clerk, when we get ready to vote, I am going to ask for a record vote, not a roll call but a record vote.

CLERK: Okay, thank you, Senator.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Is there any further discussion on the motion to adopt the permanent rules? Seeing none, the question before...Senator Bromm, I am sorry, do you wish to close?

SENATOR BROMM: Yes, Madam President, I do, thank you. Senator Chambers, could I ask you a question.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR BROMM: Would you agree with me that no rule will substitute or take care of self-discipline or the need for consideration for one another points of view in this body?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You mean if those things are not going to be there, can a rule bring them here?

SENATOR BROMM: That's what I'm asking.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I would agree with you that a rule cannot.

SENATOR BROMM: And I agree with that. Thank you, Senator Chambers. I agree with that 100 percent, and I think if nothing else, and I think there is more that has come out of this than that, but I think it has been apparent to me and I hope to everyone in the body that through many arguments that have been made and points have been made by Senator Chambers and others, that that is the one rule that is obvious, that if we don't have