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here, I guess we'll have to wait and see if we can find that answer.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Wesely. Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES: Madam President, Madam President, members of the body, I wanted to ask Senator Withem a question, if he's present.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Withem is not...Senator Withem is right here.

SENATOR JONES: Senator Withem, could I ask you a question, please.

SPEAKER WITHEM: You certainly may.

SENATOR JONES: The blighted and substandard, could that include good irrigated ground out in the country?

SPEAKER WITHEM: The way the bill operates, Senator Jones, if a community has blighted and substandard conditions within that community, and the local community feels that it can improve those blighted and substandard conditions by designating a project area outside of its city limits, within ten miles, and this is a debate we had last Thursday, yes, they can do that.

SENATOR JONES: Yes, thank you. And can they, under this bill, condemn that ground and take it too?

SPEAKER WITHEM: I believe there are provisions for eminent domain within the existing Blighted and Substandard Redevelopment Act, yes, I believe that's the case.

SENATOR JONES: Back in, what'd you say, '79 that that was passed?

SPEAKER WITHEM: Yeah, I believe it was.

SENATOR JONES: Okay. Thank you.

SENATOR HALL PRESIDING

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Senator Jones. Senator Wesely, followed by Senator Beutler.