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we expend whatever effort that we need to do. And I...it's a late hour, I'm going to drive home yet and I'll stay as long as anybody wants to, but I think the objective is to make the best law that we can, and so I will not support...I guess I...I also don't think that suspension of the rules at this point is appropriate and it scares me because that's twice this year I have agreed with Senator Chambers. I don't know what is going on here. Something is happening. Maybe he's coming around, but I don't know. Anyway, I don't think I will support suspending the rules.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Bromm. Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature, I intend to vote for LB 830. Earlier today I spoke and voted against LB 829 because of the provisions of that measure. I am a supporter of this measure and I'll vote for it. I also too think that the work of the minority, and I think the people who oppose the bill are the minority, has been done in good faith, outlying value choices and asking this body to make value choices repeatedly in a variety of areas. The amendments have been, it seems to me, in good faith, that is to say they are done in legitimate comment on what they think of the shortcomings of the bill. In many cases they have been repudiated but in other cases they have been successful and I think there are questions. Senator Hall has raised several that deserve answers. I want to meet what deadlines there are to actually act in good faith with respect to Micron. We've been at this now for four and a half hours, or is it five and half hours, which means that you could do the rest of this tomorrow and still get to a cloture vote. Senator Withem's offer, I think was made in good faith. I wish it had been accepted. It seemed to be a legitimate way to continue reasonable discussion. However, if we're at this path, at this pass, I think we should go ahead with the amendments that are here. I intend to vote against the rule suspension. I intend to listen to the debate from Senator Hall. I intend to listen to the answers about the provisions that he intends to question, and if the answers are sufficient as I think most of the bill has been in my eyes, I intend to then vote for the advancement of the bill whether that's tonight or whether that's tomorrow.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Landis. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam President, members of the Legislature,