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and maybe my closing, unless there is a substantial amount of discussion here. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Speaker, I will be brief also. Because, Senator Bromm, any time he has said he is willing to work on an issue, whether it's his bill or somebody else's, as he did with me on one of mine, I'm going to support advancement of the bill in this present condition so that he will have a chance to move it. And this might be a tactical mistake on my part, because I mean everything that I said in terms of a person facing a possibility of jail having a right to a jury trial. But we will have a chance to bring people together who, I think, are acting in good faith, so I'm not going to prolong the discussion at this point and I will give...it's going to be difficult. I'm...if a vote is needed to advance it, in its present shape, I will give that vote, but if it's not needed, I won't. However, in no case will I vote against it at this point.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Bromm, do you have a closing? Closing is waived. The question is the advancement of LB 90. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 90.

SPEAKER WITHEM: LB 90 is advanced. LR 27CA, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 27CA is a proposed constitutional amendment offered by Senator Chambers. It would propose an amendment to Article III, Section 7, of the Nebraska Constitution. The resolution was introduced on January 17th of this year. At that time, it was referred to the Executive Board for public hearing. The resolution was advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the resolution at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers, you are recognized to open.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, this is one of those proposals that relates to the Legislature as an institution and I think it's appropriate that it comes up on a day that you receive your expense checks.