

fact, are not actually being said, and we fill in the gaps ourselves. But when you begin to analyze it, you come up to the point where Senator Beutler has brought us. What is it that we're participating in? I presume, based on the material we got, because I know I'm not going to be able to amend the resolution, that the state will be considered a member of this corporation. Somebody has to be a member of it, so the state does. After the meeting, if the state is a member of the corporation, it would cease to be one 120 days after adjournment. But I deliberately did not say that there could be no participation in this other stuff because the way the resolution is drafted there are some things that the Legislature is going to do or choose not to do, but those would be done by the Legislature as a Legislature and not as a member of a corporation. Whoever...that's why I was asking, who will be on the board of directors? How are they selected? Will this steering committee that we've been reading about constitute a board of directors? And what will they direct? Nobody knows the answers, nobody can answer these questions and I think they're crucial, I think they're critical. I wanted to hold these types of questions until we got through some of the other material to show that with all of the fighting against amendments to the resolution nobody can explain what the resolution does. Nobody on this floor knows. We can speculate, we can try to use logical processes and say if A is true, if B is true, then C must be true. We can make it like a syllogism, if we want to. But we don't know that the major premise is true, we don't know that the minor premise is true, so we don't know that the conclusion is true. We have to start by saying, if A is true, if B is true, then C is an inescapable conclusion, but we don't know what's true. And certainly these fundamental questions ought to be answered for us. Since I am unable to answer them, I had nothing to do with the drafting, I'm not privy to any of the people who had...who did the drafting, I am trying to limit the participation of this state to membership in a corporation. And I don't even know if the state is a member. But judging by the way the resolution is drafted and plugging the material sent by the Governor's people in support of this conference, I've drawn certain conclusions. And based on those conclusions, which nobody has contradicted, although I don't know if people agree with them, I want to keep the state from being tied into this thing for an inordinately long period of time. So I hope you will adopt this amendment which will allow the state to be a member of this corporation if, in fact, it is, and to remain one up to 120 days after the conference meeting is