

be worked out, just what is it that you are talking about?

SENATOR JONES: I have been visiting with Senator Beutler that I think we might be able to work something out on the wording of it, on the analysis part of it, and I don't know just how it will be worked out yet because we are just in the preliminary stages of it.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But you are still thinking about a piece of legislation that will be added to the books as a law, is that correct?

SENATOR JONES: Yes, as of right now, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Members of the Legislature, I am opposed to putting the bill off for that purpose. Anything with reference to that can be discussed and handled as we do any other amendments. Here is something that I want to call the body's attention to. Many times one or two people have to assume a burden that we all ought to assume. Had there not been this lengthy discussion, who would have even cared about a fiscal impact? The bill would have been gone because everybody was tired of it and said, let it go. But not only on this bill, but every bill that catches my attention which I think is violating our process, as I think our process ought to function, I am going to fight it as I have fought this bill. I will talk on it as long as I think it's necessary to talk on it, either to change it or to make people understand how serious it is in terms of what its impact will be. This is not just a routine little bill that does nothing. It does nothing insofar as determining property rights but it does create that heavy impact on state agencies. Why is it necessary for us to bracket this bill in order for an amendment to be offered and discussed? I am the one who should want to bail out and say, I am tired, my vocal chords are wearing out on me, so I am glad for a break. I think the issue is serious and I want us to grapple with it and get rid of it. To delay it to another day is going to do just that. There is no form this bill can take which I will support, and whether anybody else is satisfied with an agreement that is reached is of no moment to me. I will fight this bill as long as I can on General File until you invoke cloture, and I will fight it again on Select File until you invoke cloture. This is unnecessary and it is unwise. I can understand Senator Wehrbein saying he wants to bracket it so that he can look at the fiscal note, but until this amendment they are talking about is