

do in as exhaustive a way as some people who support LB 168 would want. But it would indicate that this is one of the matters that ought to be looked at, along with every other matter. Depending on how the resolution was worded or is to be worded, I might not even try to offer any amendments to it, but they could not be egregious in their selection of words so that it seemed to make property the most valuable thing in this state, the most important thing in the view of the Legislature in terms of what needs to be protected. Senator Jones, are you still available?

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Jones.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, maybe he is not...oh, Senator Jones, I don't know if you've heard what this, my bracket motion would be till June, the 15th.

SENATOR JONES: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: It would stop any additional discussion of this bill this session unless somebody made a motion to unbracket it, which could be done with 25 votes, but by adopting this, it would be made clear that the approach is going to be to try to find a resolution to do this. Are you so set on having a piece of legislation, that if you give us a very forthright honest answer today, you would tell us that you are not interested in trying to do this by way of a resolution?

SENATOR JONES: As of today, I am not interested in doing it as a resolution, no.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, and that's as direct an answer as can be given, which means that the battle, if not undertaken today, is going to be renewed June (sic) the 3rd, and it will be renewed because I am not going to withdraw my amendment, and I have other amendments that I am going to offer, and I am going to fight this until you all wear me down or until I wear you all down. But, Senator Jones, here is what might happen. If you play your cards right, and you stay cool, and don't let it get the better of you, they'll get so angry with me that they will pass it even with a big fiscal note on it to teach me something. Then it gives me something to talk about. But what is going to happen in reality, if a fiscal note is attached, those senators, who because they like you so well that they can't say that they are going to vote against this bad bill that you brought to us,