

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: My light's not on.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Not any longer it isn't. You're right. It was on. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Withem, members of the Legislature, Senator Crosby, could I ask you just a couple of questions because I'm...

SENATOR CROSBY: Sure.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...not sure what you're intending. Let's say, for example, with regard...let me ask you how this would work with regard to the basic welfare payments. There's an original payment and then there's a payment for each additional child?

SENATOR CROSBY: That's right.

SENATOR BEUTLER: What...

SENATOR CROSBY: Two hundred and ninety-three for mother and one child.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, and with regard, let's say, to that 293, what...how would this amendment be applied?

SENATOR CROSBY: The Social Services has to decide if and in...there's a federal statute now that Social Services has to decide if there is...there has to be a payee. For instance, if a relative or someone were going to take care of the children and they weren't necessarily eligible for ADC, the child should still receive the money if the mom...

SENATOR BEUTLER: So,...

SENATOR CROSBY: ...leaves or if she breaks this contract.

SENATOR BEUTLER: So, if the...let's say with regard to the initial two hundred and ninety some that was for the mother and the first child, let's say that the mother breaks the contract, then in that case how would this amendment be applied?