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SPEAKER WITHEM: It's my understanding that a motion to suspend the rules is not amendable. This motion allows them to be read today, it does not preclude amendments, discussion, other sorts of items is my understanding. That's gratuitous information that you did not ask for.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But, Mr. Speaker, I do appreciate your making it clear for everybody in the Chamber. And I don't know, but I have the feeling that you sometimes read my mind and you put Senator Crosby up to making this motion to pull my "thang" so that I would not make an issue, and you did succeed. I'm not going to oppose the motion by arguing against it, but I will vote against it.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Any further discussion on the motion to suspend the rules? Senator Crosby, do you have a closing?

SENATOR CROSBY: A closing...a question that some people are asking me, Senator Withem. Is it in the...are the lists in the Journal, or will they all get a list of what's on here? They're not on the agenda, right?

SPEAKER WITHEM: These bills are printed on the agenda. The bill...Senator, in your motion...

SENATOR CROSBY: I apologize, I do see them, I do see them, starting with 209, they are on the agenda. I beg your pardon.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Crosby. Anything further for closing?

SENATOR CROSBY: I'll waive the rest of it. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Question before the body is, shall the rules be suspended to allow the reading of the bills listed on Final Reading today? All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Mr. Clerk, record. A record vote has been requested.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2702 of the Legislative Journal.) 34 ayes, 1 nay to suspend the rules, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Motion is successful. We will move to Final Reading. Members, please take your seats. Unauthorized members