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to be a lot of the printing. Was there any cost estimates of how much this is going to save or over the long term or what is like a cost/benefit analysis of some type?

SENATOR COORDSEN: Are you ready for an answer?

SENATOR HILGERT: Has there been a cost/benefit analysis of automation?

SENATOR COORDSEN: Okay, number one, on the savings on paper, you have to understand if you're familiar with printing that the cost in printing is setting up to print. And in any of the discussions that I've been privy to, there has never been a discussion of doing away with printing bills because there's going to be a need for hard copy for the reasons that you've described and for other reasons going out into the foreseeable future. Cost/benefit ratio, no, there's not been a cost/benefit ratio analysis done for this, Senator Lindsay (sic), because how do you measure, how do you measure... Senator Hilgert I mean, how do you measure when Senator Lindsay's amendment was up during a time this evening when a number of members were absent from the floor, and the closing was made and the members came back to vote on the amendment, how many knew what they were voting on, pro or con?

SENATOR HILGERT: Yeah.

SENATOR COORDSEN: With a system like this. that amendment would have been the issue that was on the screen had the operator not changed it. How do you put a value to that?

SENATOR HILGERT: Okay, okay, thank you. Thank you, Senator Coordsen. I'm not sure how I'm going to vote on this. I have a problem also. Senator Bernard-Stevens mentioned a few things that I certainly agree with him with. We just had an amendment a while back to include \$73,000 for money towards victims of domestic violence. The price tag on this is \$79,000. I'd certainly rather spend \$80,000 on a program that's going to help people rather than simply make things a little bit more convenient. I certainly have the same concerns as Senator Lynch had concerning as far as if someone wanted to draw up numerous amendments and have them shot to the Clerk's station automatically. The price tag concerns me and I'm just not sure what exactly the benefit is. As Senator Coordsen said, the cost