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SENATOR STUHR: I...I don't know. I have not had time to visit with the office...with the Governor.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You mean over the noonhour, when you had an hour and a half, you didn't take time to go find out what the chief executioner might do?

SENATOR STUHR: No, I did not.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you have any...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...idea of what he might do?

SENATOR STUHR: Well, I would...I would think that he would be supportive of it because the main concern seems to be diverting funds from General Fund.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Sen...

SENATOR STUHR: So...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh.

SENATOR STUHR: ...this...this continues to direct funds to schools and that was the original objective of the Innovation Grant Funds.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. I believe that this is the third time I've spoken on Senator Beutler's momentous amendment, so I'd just like to confirm that. Is this my third time speaking on this amendment? Thank you. So I won't be able to speak on it again. Senator Beutler, I think you have a worthy amendment but, because the bill is so nonsensical in my view, I'm going to vote against it because I think "annually" ought to stay in it.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate on the Beutler amendment? Senator Beutler, you're recognized to close on your amendment.