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SENATOR RAIKES: Yeah. Does that...does that bear particularly to one...are you suggesting that most of these operations that deal in the seasonally available supplies are smaller than 150,000 animal units? Is that the reason for that change?

SENATOR DIERKS: That's not the only reason, but that's part of the reason.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Time.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay. Thank you, Senator Dierks.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Wehrbein, on the Brashear amendment to LB 835.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President and members, I'm going to be brief at this point because I want to pursue this. I...Senator Dierks, do I understand you're opposing Senator Brashear's amendment?

SENATOR DIERKS: That's true.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Dierks.

SENATOR DIERKS: Yes.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Could I...could you say succinctly why once again? I've been gone a few minutes.

SENATOR DIERKS: Because I think, to be a general statement about it, I think it makes it more vague, the language is more vague, and I think it opens up possibilities for all kinds of mischief.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay. Even though it is out of Initiative 300?

SENATOR DIERKS: Well, it is...we're still using Initiative 300 as our...as our starting point.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay.