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designed to aid in the collection of child support. I said, then we'll just show what the federal government is and how hypocritical it is because, on the one hand, it says its intent is to facilitate the collection of child support but then, on the other hand, it's going to withhold those funds because a state, which has a workable system, does not want to junk it for one that is not going to work. And now, that was our discussion, what becomes of a bird in the hand as opposed to two in the bush? The current system is workable. It is manageable. If there are problems, they are correctable. This that we're talking about is so far out there that nobody understands with exactitude the amount of harm that is going to befall. But we should keep in mind the only goal of the system should be to get that money from the one who pays it to the...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...one who is entitled to receive it.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Further discussion on the bracket motion to LB 637, Senator Brashear, followed by Wehrbein, Baker, Vrtiska, Brown, Matzke, Hartnett, Schmitt, and Bohlke.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Mr. President, thank you. Members of the body, I rise just once, I guess I may...I may speak again, but I rise just once. Notwithstanding the fact that I feel quite old, you know, someone has to make a defense of the immature chairman of the immature committee, Judiciary Committee, that failed to turn out the work product in accordance with the senior member's view. But I thought that I would share with you a kind of pedestrian, pragmatic, I think fairly logical, normal view that some people on the Judiciary Committee had with regard to this bill. It is true that we had a ta...representatives of a task force appear before us and disagree right before our very eyes, and it is true that we were lobbied heavily thereafter. But the federal government, in its kind, benevolent, devolving way, made it known right up front, supposedly, that we were talking about the \$15 million penalty, and it affects women and it affects children. And I agree with much of what Senator Chambers, Senator Matzke and others have said, but hanging on an 800 number, getting one of these disgusting, considered progressive,