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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The motion is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, AM1325, as offered by Senator Baker, is now before the body. (AM1325, Legislative Journal page 1535.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Baker.

SENATOR BAKER: Yes, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, at this time I'd like to withdraw my amendment, AM1325, and substitute for it FA102.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: We have a request for a substitute amendment. Without objection? We have objection. We are on amendment...

SENATOR BAKER: I move for the substitution then it be allowed.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: We have a motion to substitute. We have a motion to substitute FA102 for the Baker amendment. For discussion, Senator Wehrbein. Excuse me, Senator Baker, you're recognized to open on your motion to substitute.

SENATOR BAKER: Well, as the debate has moved on here it's obvious that we don't really have a consensus here. We're not sure. There seems to be a general feeling that we need to approach this waiver avenue here. Apparently there...it's not apparent, it's obvious that we can do some other things here. We have to have centralized support collection, and we can do that and qualify for a waiver and so on, et cetera. And my amendment that I'm withdrawing is more, you know, it's obviously been divided and so on, et cetera, it's going to take a while. And it looks to me as though the body is ready to consider the waiver approach, and that's what FA102 does. It's Senator Bohlke's amendment, and I think in the interest of time and efficiency, we ought to take a look at that, because I will support it, and I think that's the way we ought to go, so that's why I request to withdraw mine and substitute her amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Baker. For discussion on the motion to substitute, Senator Wehrbein.