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likely to vote for a commission if it dealt with a code of ethics and gifts, and almost every hand in the room shot up, almost every hand in the room. So what I would like to ask the Legislature to think about is to explore with your constituents that kind of a concept. I'm glad Senator Kristensen is keeping it open for a session, and I'm going to do my best to try to entice Gallup or some other polling organization to explore that question further, and I hope Senator Kristensen is open to that kind of exploration, because I'm highly skeptical as to whether this will sell again. I don't know why the people...

SENATOR C. PETERSON: Time.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...would buy it today not having bought it at least twice and maybe three times in the past. Thank you.

SENATOR C. PETERSON: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Senator Brown, on the amendment.

SENATOR BROWN: Madam President, members, I think that this is a very significant piece of the work that we have, not just for the Legislature as it exists, because we change every...every day a little bit, but certainly every year, and...but it is an important piece of what we do for the institution and for the institution remaining reflective of society and making sure that individuals of diverse perspectives and diverse economic backgrounds can be a part of this. And so I support Senator Kristensen's amendments because I think that it's very important that we get this bill in the best shape possible so that we can decide on it early next year, and I would ask that anyone who supports it now, and I know it's easier for those of us who are not up for election next year, but...but to really make a commitment for the vote that will take place next year, because I think that it is so critical. Thank you.

SENATOR C. PETERSON: Thank you, Senator Brown. Senator Kristensen, then there are no other lights. Do you wish to close on your amendment?

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature. Again, this amendment changes the election date from the general election to the primary election of 2000,