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And there are enough questions, I think, that have been raised in discussions with senators on the floor and off the floor and enough questions in my mind that at this point I think it would be the best...the best step that we could take would be to strike that section from the bill, and that's what my proposed amendment would do. It would strike, beginning on line 26 on page 18, the underlined material through line 10 on page 19, and...and we will review that language. We will talk to any senators who are interested and determine whether or not there is a reason to offer language to put back in that subject area on Select File. But at this time, I believe it would be in our...in our best interests and it would help the bill and our intent if we would simply strike that section and that's what I'm offering to do, if the body chooses to do so.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Bromm. (Visitors introduced.) For debate on the Bromm amendment to LB 1018, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I will speak only once on Senator Bromm's amendment. What we did agree to over here is that, with his striking of this portion from the bill, at least for myself, I will not offer any more amendments on General File here. I am not in a position where I can support the bill, so I'm going to support the adoption of Senator Bromm's amendment. If the bill does move, then I will work with him and anybody else that we've been discussing this bill with to see if we can come up with essential language. But none of the work that I'm doing is designed to show support for the bill. I'm looking at the process and the product which is to be presented for passage into law. I am not convinced that this is a wise policy, but I will discuss that aspect when the motion is made to advance the bill. I am in support of this amendment, however.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Bromm, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, and I believe, based on the discussion of those senators who have been participating, that it's agreeable to anyone I've talked to to strike this section at this time. We have agreed that if we intend to insert any additional language dealing with this