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time that we can move away from unstable sources of revenue to do some very important policy such as the environment and also education that I think it's very important. I would hope that over the course of this next year as we see the...perhaps more stable sources come into this trust fund, that we might see something come forward that would also provide some more stable sources of revenue to the Education Innovation Fund. I think it will be very, very important for us to make sure that the money that's coming into both the Environment and Education Funds stabilizes somewhat so that we can continue to do some of the good things that we have been doing and be able to do those in the future also. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Kiel. (Visitors introduced.) Continuing the discussion on the amendment, Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Madam President. I'll just take a minute to rise in support of this amendment. I think that it's been pretty well described why this is a good move and why we should, in fact, support it, and I would suggest probably it will move along very rapidly and I just wanted to add my support. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Vrtiska. Any further discussion? Seeing none, Senator Preister, you're recognized to close on the amendment.

SENATOR PREISTER: Thank you, Honorable President. I rise in support of all the support. It was nice to have people comment favorably on the amendment. This is something we can all feel proud of. This is an endowment into the future to protect our natural ecosystems that otherwise might have threats and we can feel good about establishing a source of funding that's long term, that could outlive the lottery which, as we have heard, the revenues are being reduced from. This is good policy. It allows for private donations. It is more foresightful and I think wise policy that we can do more of. I would encourage your support on the amendment. I thank Senator Landis for bringing the original bill. It's a good bill, a good concept, and you can use this at home to let people know what we are doing long term for the best future interest of our children,