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that looked at it. I don't know who.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Who in the Labor Department qualifies as a constitutional lawyer that you know of?

SENATOR HILGERT: None that I know of, but there might be someone who can look at that issue and may have access to other attorneys who are. I'm just not aware of that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Hilgert.

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

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And I know this is my last time on this motion, Mr. President. Members of the Legislature, sin in haste, repent at leisure. You know the greatest thing in the world that can happen with this is to let you all go on headlong and do what you wanted to do, and let an action be filed which I can...anybody can file an action to challenge a statute. You can seek a declaratory judgment act and you can put yourself in a position to do that as a taxpayer. Senator DeCamp has done it. Ed Jaksha has done it, so a private citizen can do so. And you know what will happen? LB 953, which was designed to allow these women who were battered, it would mostly be women, to leave employment to escape that situation and not be penalized when it comes to unemployment compensation, and that is what is being risked here. I know that everybody made the assumption that when I spoke of risk it meant that I was going to do every thing I could to bring down the bill. I told you I hadn't made up my mind what I was going to do on it. But I've put things into the record and you want to run headlong over the cliff as lemmings tend to do because you cannot acknowledge that you may have acted hastily and made a mistake. I'd like to ask Senator Vrtiska a question, if he would yield.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Yes, I will.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Vrtiska, and this is for the record now, and I'm not going to engage you in a lot of back and forth.