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amendment could be drafted that would take the significant portions of this bill and add them to LB 1438 (sic)?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Thirteen...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well, let me ask it a different way. What would prevent that from happening, from being possible?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I think it is possible, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Would you object to that being done?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: No, I would not.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Members of the Legislature, those of you who listened heard me say that we could save a lot of time on this bill by folding it into a bill that is farther along the process. How could I be more helpful than that? See, it's becoming an easy out and tactic to say Ernie's attacking me and my bill. I'm suggesting a way to get the bill on down the line. I even suggested that he add his name to LB 1438 (sic). I know how the process works, but I'm telling you if you all want to go through this charade I will take the time if you want to give it to me. Sometimes people have to be put into a position where they must do the responsible thing. If you bracket this bill, you will save the body time. You will let Senator Vrtiska realize that the offer that has been made to him is one that no rational lawmaker should refuse. Amend it into LB 1438 (sic) and we don't have to go through all of the work that would have to be done on this bill. There doesn't have to be the work by the people upstairs. There doesn't have to be the two stages of debate, at least, and I will speak against this bill at every stage. So if we go to cloture and you give 33 votes, then I'm willing to do it again. At some point when we reach this stage in the session priorities do have to be established and one of the priorities should be to make the best use of the time available. Now there might come bills on which I will be totally unyielding and will make no attempt to be helpful as I am in this instance. I'm sure that anybody other than Senator Vrtiska, who is deeply involved with his bill, can see that what I'm suggesting is not an attack on his bill. I have a bill which I wish somebody would let me amend into a bill