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question?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, I will.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Senator Chambers, if I agree to lay this bill over to work out an agreement with Senator Wehrbein, I visited with him, I think we can put these bills together, will you agree that you will, in fact, continue to support his bill or is that asking too much?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No. You know what I told Senator Wehrbein. I will support his bill beyond the point when he is willing to support it.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Will you support it with my...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Absolutely, absolutely.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And when Senator Wehrbein bails out, I'm still going to be there. He made me change my position on that bill and that's not going to have been done in vain. I will continue to support that bill even when he has on his Appropriations Committee chairman's cap and says, well, I can't support it. I will still be there. I will be there when you are not there. Can I be more definite than that?

SENATOR VRTISKA: (laugh) Thank you, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, will you yield?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I didn't get to hear all yours, but I saw your amendment. If we can work out a deal with Senator Wehrbein to put the amendment and bring these bills together, will you support it with my bill as a part of his bill?