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SENATOR BROMM: Yeah.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...passed this law directing the board to do this, and the board didn't do it, and the court would look, first of all, as to whether any discretion is involved.

SENATOR BROMM: I think that's right.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And, if it is a discretionary act, the court will not mandate the person who can exercise the discretion to carry it out. So we might be in a position where the Legislature cannot compel the board to strike that 75/25 percent balance. Is that a possibility?

SENATOR BROMM: That's a possibility, and I don't want to take your time, but I suppose another repercussion of that could be a strong effort to try to do something about a constitutional amendment, which has been talked about in the past.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And I don't think the voters would trust the Legislature...

SENATOR BROMM: Well, I don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...to abolish the board that deals with lands for education, when it's clear that the Legislature wants to sell off the land. That is not viable. I doubt that that could even get through the Legislature. So, next session, let's...I mean, you-all give it a try and we'll see where it goes.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Chambers, you may continue.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the Legislature, I believe that minds are made up on this bill. I believe that a majority of my colleagues is going to vote one way or the other. We will have to wait until the vote is taken to see just which way that is. What I wish we could do is maintain our concentration, keep in mind how serious the issue is that we're working on, however long we are in session. We cannot let our energy level drop, we cannot let our minds