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because we'll...we'll talk about it for a while, then we'll go back to our seats and decide, well, that's not what I meant by negotiate. (Laugh) It's not a good thing, but it's a lot of fun when you're in a frame of mind to say that nobody knows where they're going, nobody knows what they're going to do, so at that point you just ride with the tide and go with the flow. But, if the bill dies, that's just what I want anyway. But I didn't make a motion to kill it. I have not offered as many amendments as some of the others, so you can't say I've been trying to filibuster the bill; I've been explaining this bill. But, if this is the way it dies, it's all right with me. And, if I have anymore time, Madam President, I will give that up now.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Mr. Speaker, you wanted to be recognized.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: I do, Madam President. At this point in time, I would like to remove and I am removing this bill from the agenda. I may put it up yet today; give the people, the primary sponsor and the supporters, a chance to determine a plan; they can come back and articulate that plan to me and then I'll make a judgment at that point in time. I have talked to Senator Dierks, given the time and given what else we're going to do this afternoon, I'm going to move up the 3:30 schedule and we'll go to the senator and committee priority bills on Select File at this point. It's roughly 40 minutes earlier than we would have done it otherwise, and would move to modify the agenda at this point to do that.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Clerk, do you have items for the record?

CLERK: Madam President, I do, thank you. Enrollment and Review reports LB 973A to Select File. I have two confirmation reports from Health and Human Services. Committee on Health and Human Services reports LB 981 to General File with amendments. And, Madam President, I have received a communication from the university regarding a bond issue. Pursuant to receipt of that letter, I have communicated that to the Chair of the Executive Board for purposes of referral to a Standing Committee for hearing. That's all that I had, Madam President. (Legislative