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them, and I don't think Senator Smith or Senator Beutler does either. We'll sit down with them. We already have some ideas that have cropped up just in the last few hours here. We'll make them work. I would hope that we can convince Senator Bourne that there is still a need for this bill. Because the federal people, we still have no guarantees that that's actually going to occur there. But as it does, and details are worked out on the federal level, we can create some efficiencies here. So with that, I'd return the rest of my time to the Chair. Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK PRESIDING

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Baker. Senator Cudaback, you're recognized to speak.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Madam President, members, I guess I won't spend a lot of time here, because I think the committee and Senator Baker, Senator Smith, have done a lot of work here. Even though it is my priority bill, I'm kind of sitting back and watching the progress work. I guess, you know, I just love this system, the way it's working here. Senator Bourne has absolutely every right in the world to stand up here and say what he's saying, whether it's for himself, whether it's for a constituent, for a belief. That's great. That's the way it works. We should have the right to do that. And he's expressing his frustrations. I don't want bigger government either. I do not want it. But...here's where the "but" comes in. We need maybe to keep a little pressure on the federal government. That's my point of view. We need to keep a little pressure on them. Because without a little pressure, they may not do this. And if it's one thing the public wants, if it's one thing they want us to do down here, if we accomplish nothing else this year, believe me...and I've talked to many of them...they want us to pass this. If it's one thing that will satisfy them, say, well, at least you stopped some of these phone calls. We don't want to stop them all. I don't want stop...I don't want to hurt our telecommunication...I don't want to...telemarketer. I don't want to hurt them all. They do good people...they're good people. They got a good business. I want to keep them going. We need them. It's a good business.