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up there with a motion separately, which would give you an opportunity to vote on those separately if you don't adopt this amendment, which would give...and, of course, the bill wouldn't be read today if you adopted either of those amendments. Senator Erdman would have an opportunity to work with his component before the next scheduling of the bill to see if he gets something worked out. I don't know if that's of any interest to him or to Senator Schrock, but I mention those as being options if we don't know for sure what we want to do. I think maybe there are...sufficient people are fine with the entire amendment, I don't know, but I sense there are a number who aren't that comfortable with it, and so those are options. There's probably another option, as I see Senator Chambers making his way up there, that I haven't described. (Laughter) So, in any event, I would maybe encourage a little different course of action here, and I'll talk to Senator Schrock when I get...here he is right here, and then we'll get...we'll give it a little bit more thought. So thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bromm. Mr. Clerk, item on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a priority motion. Senator Chambers would move to bracket the bill until May 10, 2003.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, you're recognized to open on your bracket motion.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I have sat and listened to the discussion on the merits or lack thereof, depending on a person's point of view, on the amendment, on the process, those who favor it and those who oppose it. You all know that where I'm concerned, I will do what I think under the rules is available for me to do, exactly what I think I ought to do. But I would tell some of my young friends that before they stand up and begin to lecture people too much, they ought to realize that they get some slack when they look at who they're on a bill or an amendment with. Senator Wehrbein has broad shoulders, and Senator Wehrbein can protect a whole lot behind those shoulders, but Senator Wehrbein is not going to always be there. Now, we're lecturing this