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doing a late filing like this for the purpose of jumping in at the last minute into a race and involving several thousand dollars, as it has in the past, do you think a late filing fee of \$25 a day is going to discourage people...is going to encourage people to actually file...to actually notify the commission? Or will they just do it and pay a small fine, pay a small late filing fee afterwards?

SENATOR FOLEY: To be truthful, Senator Beutler, I didn't even look at that particular language. That's the language of the existing law. I was more concerned about the fact that these groups were not making any filing before the election. And I wanted to address that problem, to change it to a two-day, so we could at least find out who they are. But actually I never did study the whole question of whether or not the \$25 fee is an appropriate figure.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. Well, I would just raise that question, in case there was some interest in looking at that. The second thing I wanted to ask you, it says in the language, within 30 days prior to the election for which the committee exists. Does a committee have to identify what race it's interested in? I have forgotten if they do or not. Can...do you remember?

SENATOR FOLEY: It seems to me that they do have to specifically identify which race it is they're working on.

SENATOR BEUTLER: They're working on?

SENATOR FOLEY: I believe so. I'll check that for you. But...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yeah. Okay. Thank you very much. And thank you for the amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Further discussion on the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee amendment? Seeing no lights on, Senator Schimek, did you wish to close on that amendment?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Mr. President and members. The only thing I would wish to say is, Senator Beutler, I think that