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on, and I don't know if there's any way that Senator Brashear and Senator Beutler could agree on something, but I wouldn't even be against suspending implementation of the act for a year and having a group of people try to do some hard work on it to see if we can fix it. And if we can't, we're back here either going along with what we have, or trying to modify it with something that might be a little bit better. I think it sends a real bad message to just throw it out altogether. It will never come back for several years, and this is at a time when you see really, I think, more emphasis in...at the federal level in trying to implement some campaign finance reforms and restricting some donations and that kind of thing. So...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SPEAKER BROMM: ...I can't support the bill. I guess I would support the bracket. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bromm. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President and members. There have been some various statements made this morning that concern me a little bit and it gets into the details of, you know, is it tax dollars, is it public funding. But as we just heard from Speaker Bromm that there's some concern about the funds that support the system being fines, which our State Constitution says should go to the schools, and without those fines we really wouldn't have any funds to speak of that would support this premise contained in our Campaign Finance Limitation Act. But let me bring to the table some realities that exist. We've been talking about the Lorelee Byrd situation and more than the faces in that campaign was the reality that that race was decided in the primary. CFLA does not necessarily reflect that. We've brought about a reality with CFLA that it's a race to the campaign coffers; that be it individual donors or folks from behind the glass, they race to fulfill that limit generally for incumbents. And we heard earlier that Lorelee Byrd abused the law, this Campaign Finance Limitation Act. I'm not aware of how she abused the law, and I hope that that will be clarified yet this morning or in further debate, because she was entitled to that. Her campaign was entitled to the...some \$125,000, I