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for the body to feel that it's appropriate to go to closure and advance that bill to Final Reading. I just...I want you to understand that, and if that changes your position, then I certainly understand and you don't have to do any of this that I've just outlined.

SENATOR FOLEY: But the bill will be scheduled for Tuesday, and if those other matters can be resolved more quickly than you might anticipate, then there is no reason to suggest this bill couldn't get more time and, in fact, under our rules there is no reason to think that this bill couldn't go all the way this year.

SPEAKER BROMM: Well, not under the rules.

SENATOR FOLEY: Recognizing that we've got a heavy work load on Tuesday ahead of us and ahead of this bill.

SPEAKER BROMM: And it's...I hope I've made it clear, and if you have any questions on what I said, please tell me or ask me, but I'm just telling you that I don't think it's very likely that we'll get time on this bill on Tuesday. If a miracle happens and everything falls out of the way, well, you know, nothing is impossible but it's very unlikely.

SENATOR FOLEY: Well, that's...and I appreciate that, Senator Bromm, and that's, of course, what I would have faced anyway. Even if we had had to go to a cloture vote, which would not have been pleasant, and advanced it through that means, I still would have faced that same workload situation on Tuesday with all those other bills having been advanced to Select ahead of mine and with all those Final Reading bills that might need to be returned to Select for specific amendment. So that's the challenge that I would have faced under any scenario. So, recognizing the heavy workload that's ahead of this bill, I'm willing to proceed with a vote on the bill, get it over to Select, and we'll just see what can happen on Tuesday with that heavy workload, and it may mean, I acknowledge, that may mean that this bill gets no further time because of the volume of work ahead of it. I understand that, but that's what I would have faced anyway.