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in the public life of this state. And if that were to happen, all problems would not automatically disappear, but the means to address all of them in a meaningful way would be made available because also in the constitution are duties and responsibilities reposed on the branches of government and various specified officials. So the constitution in this state and at the federal level has been honored more in the breach than in the actualization of the promises, the guarantees that are contained therein. I also would like to see stripped out of that document a lot of clutter and unnecessary verbiage and notions put there by people who were not thinking clearly at the time. So if the person is aware of what I'm saying now, I hope there's a better understanding than may have occurred the first time. Back to this bill, it's a small thing being done. It's a necessary thing being done. But the Legislature is behaving in this small corner in the way that it ought to. It ought to use this as a jumping off point to continue to do good things. But, Senator Byars, I've been around so long that I know what's likely to...

SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...not happen. However, as I often add when I think to add it, the world may come to an end tonight and it won't be necessary for the Legislature to do good things tomorrow because everything is over. But should the world not come to an end tonight, we'll be back here laboring tomorrow and I will be here, too. Mr. President, because of the way the discussion has gone, I'm not going to take a vote on that amendment. I withdraw it.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. The amendment is withdrawn. Anything...

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, I have nothing further pending to the Revenue Committee amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We now...discussion of the advancement of the Revenue Committee amendment offered by the Revenue Committee, AM0387 to LB 40. Further discussion?