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SENATOR BOURNE: Thank you, Mr. President, members. And Senator Cunningham had expressed what I was going to talk about. There's been 290-some checks that were reissued that were below \$10,000. These three are those checks that had expired that were over \$10,000. And again, I just want to reiterate, these three individuals followed the process. The process says, if it's over \$10,000, you file an appeal or you present yourself to the Business and Labor Committee and they make the decision. They have. I think we should stick with that. And if somebody wants to introduce legislation to change that, then, you know, that would be appropriate and we can discuss that then. But again, I'm going to vote no on Senator Chambers' amendment and support the committee's work. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bourne. Senator Stuthman.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. I would like to engage in a little conversation with Senator Bourne, if he would be so kind to answer a few questions.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Bourne, would you yield?

SENATOR BOURNE: Certainly.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Senator Bourne, you know, I appreciate the fact that you're bringing up the legal part of it and, in my opinion, you know, those checks are really cash. They're just a document.

SENATOR BOURNE: If I could just interrupt, I'm bringing up what I think is the right part of this. This is the right thing to do.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Is there...is there at any time when the state or a county can cancel a warrant after an amount of time? Do you know any portion of that?

SENATOR BOURNE: I don't. But again, my point, Senator Stuthman, is that these checks say they're void or expire after a certain number of dates, but the law establishes a policy by