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PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Senator Friend, would you yield?

SENATOR FRIEND: Sure.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Friend, have you followed the discussion that Senator Mines and I have been having on this word "substantive"?

SENATOR FRIEND: Actually, I apologize, Senator, I have been preoccupied with certain other duties. But I will start following, because I think that Senator Mines has informed me that there could be some substance coming forward in this discussion.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: (Laugh) Thank you, Senator Friend. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Thank you, Senator Chambers. You've heard the opening on FA378. The floor is now open for discussion. Senator Chambers, you were previously queued in on the bill itself.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: This is my amendment.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Yeah, correct, so. Discussion on FA378? No requests to speak. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, when I listened to Senator Friend, I thought of a song. (Laugh) Down and down I go, round and round I go, lost in the spin. I don't know what in the world he was talking about. I don't know if Senator Mines has any idea what Senator Friend accused Senator Mines of being on the verge of bringing to us, so I thought I'd just bail out on that one. But this is an amendment which would strike from the bill the two words "a substantive," which modify the word "objection." Senator Mines had made note of it last night himself, the Banking Department is not going to have any serious problem when we remove this word, so I am asking that we adopt this amendment. And thank