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SENATOR CUDABACK: One minutes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...that this amount of what that dream consists of is all we're going to be able to get. So being pragmatic, you should consider whether you want to have the bill in some form on the ballot where there's a chance to get it voted up by the public, or not let it get to the ballot at all. Then all those issues would be resolved. And I'm not going to ask you to answer that right now, because the time is up. But when this motion comes up, then we can pursue it, and that way you won't have to just give a yes or no answer; you can have a chance to develop fully what you would answer, just like I've been trying to do on my side. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Mr. Clerk, motion, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to indefinitely postpone. Senator Beutler, you have the option to lay the bill over.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Take it up.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Take it up. Senator Chambers, to open on your motion to indefinitely postpone.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. And as I've said, that's going to be withdrawn. Senator Beutler, for the record and the purposes of the discussion we're in, I'm going to ask some things and say some things which have already been covered. But if anybody looks at the transcript, I want all of these things to be found in the same location. Do you feel that I could have at least a 50-50 chance of stopping this from getting through three rounds of debate successfully, if I really set my mind to it?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Oh, absolutely.