

SENATOR WESELY: That's okay.

SENATOR CROSBY: Debate does not cease. Discussion.... I'm sorry, Mr. Clerk, would you record, please.

CLERK: 16 ayes, 1 nay to cease debate.

SENATOR CROSBY: Debate does not cease. Thank you. Further discussion on the Lindsay amendment. Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Madam President. I'd like to yield my time to Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Madam President. I would ask to withdraw that amendment.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Lindsay has asked to withdraw the amendment. No objections, so ordered. It is withdrawn. Any further motions or amendments?

CLERK: Priority motion. Senator Lindsay would move to reconsider the vote on the Dierks amendment.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Lindsay, to open on your reconsideration motion.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Madam President, members. This is a motion to reconsider the vote on the Dierks amendment, which, as you know is, I think had 23 votes and was very close. It's one that I think it's the crux of all the issue regarding what...all of what we've been dealing with in this area, that is the issue of the family cap. And you've heard just in...on this last amendment some of the discussion. Senator Maurstad, I think very succinctly stated, or succulently stated that...that the...when we talk in terms of the real dollars that we're talking about, that that changes people's...changes people's views. People often times operate and form their opinions on a lot less information than we here have access...to which we here have access. That, I think, is something that we have a responsibility, not just to go along with something that...because of people's particular view on it when they don't have access to the same information, rather I think we have an obligation to provide that information to people and then see