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just woofing, and after I have a long weekend to think about it I'll get as fearful as my colleagues and say, well, they'll frown at me if I do what I said I'm going to do. Put us both to the test. See if Senator Foley can deliver you from what he will put you in. Thank you,...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Maxwell.

SENATOR JANSSEN PRESIDING

SENATOR MAXWELL: Thank you, Mr. President. I thought about this, this morning, when I came in. I wish I'd have said something sooner, because I don't want this to be perceived as something mentioned in response to the recent exchange about the agreement that apparently has fallen through. And I certainly mean no slight to the Speaker at all. In fact, I visited with him about this. But if there's a motion to adjourn, say, in the next half-hour or hour or so, and we still have a lot of these bills before us, I'm going to ask for a machine vote and vote against it. I just want to mention that in advance. And I have not gone around and lobbied anyone. I'm not counting heads. I have no idea what the will of the body is. And perhaps the will of the body is to indeed adjourn sooner rather than later. I see some good legislation here. I'm not holding out any hope that we'd ever actually get down to my priority bill. But there are some other bills here that I think we should move through our system if we can. And I'm looking forward to an early escape to the holiday weekend as much as anyone. But if we've got some work left to do, my preference would be to stick around a little longer and try to move some more of this legislation. So I will ask for a machine vote. I'll vote against it, but as I say, I'm not going to lobby anyone. We'll just see what the will of the body is at that time. And that's all. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING