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choose one of the two types, one is a fountain pen, and one is a ball point, there the cartridge type and at your convenience and before we adjourn, or right afterwards, would you please go over under the north balcony and decide which kind, which type of pen you would like and she will take that down. Senator Stromer.

SENATOR STROMER: Mr. Speaker and fellow members, I rise to support Senator Schmit's motion, I think that Senator Schmit has worked with this program

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for a long time and from the beginning with this idea then into the enactment of the reality of the actual idea, I think that he probably has followed through, knows a little bit better than those of us who have not followed exactly what has gone on, entirely with this entire program and I think that we should follow his suggestion because of the fact that he has taken the time to follow up on a program that he started with an idea, and then initiated and which became reality, and I think we should support his motion.

SPEAKER: Is there any further discussion, the Chair would remind us that we're at the noon hour, I would like to finish this off this morning if we can and if not that's up to you decision, is there further discussion on Senator Schmit's amendment? Senator Richendifer.

SENATOR RICHENDIFER: I support Senator Schmit's motion, however, there has been quite a little comment in here on the Governor's endorsement and I went through the bill and I didn't see his name anywhere there. I think it was a simple comment by Senator Marvel that the Governor endorsed the bill and since I didn't see the Governor's name on the bill yet, I would assume that this was just conversation.

SPEAKER: Senator Syas, and then I would be hopeful that this will be the last of the debate.

SENATOR SYAS: I've only talked once on it, I just say that the Governor doesn't necessarily have to have his name on the bill in order to endorse the proposition, and Senator Marvel said he's endorsing these expenditures and that's good enough for me, if Senator Marvel said so, I know he has the facts on this and so I'll go along with it. The Governor wants the bill, he don't have to have his name on it, he'll recommend many times bills with somebody else's name on it.

SPEAKER: Senator Schmit do you wish to close on your amendment?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. Chairman and members of the legislature, I said before, I just like to strike this amount of money from the budget bill and replace it with the original figures and we're going to come back with it later on, but I think that I need the leverage that I'm asking for here to get the kind of performance that we should require of every single agency of the state, therefore I respectfully request to support for my amendment. Thank you.

SPEAKER: Now do you, Senator Marvel do you have a question of Senator Schmit? He has closed.

SENATOR MARVEL: I was going to withdraw the committee amendment since there is some controversy we need to move this across and pick it up when we have the next deficiency program.

SPEAKER: Well that's very interesting and are you now ready for the vote on the amendment.

SENATOR MARVEL: I guess so.