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SPEAKER: You may.

SENATOR SYAS: Senator Proud, what is the target date for the Chairman to finish their work and I think that is a very logical question and we should know? Generally, we have had a target date, you know.

SENATOR PROUD: Yes. Well in all due respect to the duties of the office, I am going to refer that question to the Chairman of the Committee on Committees, Senator Whitney, who has probably given this subject a great deal of thought and has it all charted out.

SPEAKER: Senator Whitney, are you..

SENATOR WHITNEY: Senator Luedtke has always made a study of this and I think he would be the logical person to ask. On President Truman's desk there was a little sign, "The buck".. let's see, how was it.

SPEAKER: That's right, you have it.

SENATOR WHITNEY: ".passing the buck stops here". Senator Luedtke in answering this is #3.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I can't answer..

SPEAKER: The chair recognizes Senator Luedtke.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: The Judiciary Committee has more bills than any other Committee. We have them all set before March 1st. We will have a few more bills to introduce, so as the Committee that has the most bills can probably finish up shortly after March 1st. If we can finish up March 1st, I can't see why any other Committee can't finish by March 1st.

SENATOR SYAS: Is that the answer now, March 1st.

SPEAKER: Well, the chair is advised that the last public hearing is scheduled for March 15. Senator Proud, Speaker Proud.

SENATOR PROUD: Mr. President, so if the buck is stopped I will make an official announcement. The target date, specifically, is March 16.

SPEAKER: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Do we have any bills for.. are there any other Resolutions on the desk?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: That's what triggered all this. Are there any bills for introduction?

CLERK: None.

SPEAKER: We are ready for the consideration of bills on Select File. Senator Cavanaugh, beginning with LB 35.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Mr. President, the first bill is LB 152 which is bracketed today. There is a request to hold the bill until tomorrow. Signed, Senator Whitney.

SPEAKER: Is there objections to bracketing the bill and holding it until tomorrow. There are no objections. It is so ordered. LB 35.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 35.

SPEAKER: You heard the motion to adopt the amendments to LB 35. All those in favor of the motion please say aye. Those opposed say no. So ordered.