

contemplating introducing more bills.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: I, I also answered that. I said there will be two bills as far as I know to complete our correctional penal reform.

SENATOR PROUD: That answers my question.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: We've already brought up to the body and that's it.

SPEAKER: Senator Fowler, did you wish to be recognized? Senator Carpenter, did you wish to be recognized? Is your question directed at Senator Proud?

SENATOR CARPENTER: May I suggest to the Speaker that he make a motion to say that all bills that are not out of committee by the 23rd day of March will be indefinitely postponed.

SPEAKER: Senator Proud.

SENATOR CARPENTER: That gives us plenty of time to do everything that the Senator has in mind.

SENATOR PROUD: Uh, Senator Carpenter, I appreciate you giving me this prerogative and I understand your point. I would prefer not to make the motion because I don't have any idea what might come up. There could be an emergency or something, however, I think about that time that I'm certainly going to quit voting for any further introduction of bills, but I don't like to make it a hidebound rule, however, I have no objection whatsoever to you offering the motion, if it carries, it carries.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, Mr. President, then I'll make the motion, that as of the 23rd day of March, 1973, that all bills that are not out of committee, which means those bills which are not now introduced or ready for introduction, will be indefinitely postponed. We got plenty of time to do everything we want to. Now, if we have an emergency, obviously, this body can undo what it's do--what I hope it might do this morning and I, we have to set a target date to get this thing wound up and I presume I've abused it as much as anybody else, maybe more so, but I, I make the motion.

SPEAKER: Senator Carpenter, will you do the Chair a favor please and write down your motion and send it up to the desk. We'll take it up after we conclude the business here regarding Senator Luedtke's request here to suspend the rules. That's what's under discussion at this time, Senator Luedtke's motion to suspend the rules for the introduction of the five bills. Senator Barnett, did you wish to be recognized?

SENATOR BARNETT: (mike off) of Senator Luedtke, if he'd yield. Did you have the Governor's bill drafter look at these bills before we--

SENATOR LUEDTKE: No, I didn't.

SPEAKER: All right now, is there any further discussion of Senator Luedtke's motion? Question is, shall the rules be suspended and the five bills introduced? All those in favor-- Senator Luedtke, do you have any closing remarks? Question is, shall the rules be suspended and the five bills introduced. All those in favor will vote aye. All those opposed will vote no. Once again the Chair would advise you that you are voting on a suspension of the rules for the introduction of the five bills as requested by Senator Luedtke and as explained by Senator Luedtke, and that a suspension of the rules will require 30 votes. Have you all voted? Once again the Chair would ask if you have all voted? The Chair would also remind you that I'm not in a position to lobby for votes and I also can't hold the board open