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in this budget unless they give to we people in out-state consideration on a minor level because we don't have a right to ask for more. We haven't asked for more. That is what our people send us down here for, but just bear in mind that the only difference in this bill 256 is what we are spending a million and a half dollars less than what the Governor recommended. That can not be denied. We are not spending it as he suggested it. Now if you think that he and his staff is more qualified than you are, this is your choice. I hope that you will reconsider Senator Savages motion and I hope that you will not give it 25 votes to bring it back. Those things we have done and those things we have given the right of the people of this state to believe that we are going to follow through on and not finally but up to the point you are going to vote on final reading and if then at at that point you don't want to stand up to the heat vote the whole bill down. Lets not make any capital expenditures for anything. Lets just wipe it clean and lets save 21 million dollars

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you people are frugal. I don't think that you mean what you say but this is the count-down, in which you determine more than you think you have been determined. If you don't want lets kill the bill. If you want to be frugal lets be honest about it and lets stop being dishonest a by accepting something that is absolutely untrue in so far as the amount spend and the purpose for which it is being spend for. I support the move for reconsideration.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to reconsider. Now this is an unusual parliamentary situation in which we had no opening and no closing. Now Senator Kelly you have been on your feet. For what purpose do you rise Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, my light was on and you asked me if I wanted to talk and I didn't say anything at that time because we were going to read the motion that we were going to talk about. The other motion came in and I have not been able to get recognized since. I don't understand this parliamentary procedure but is it that I'm not going to get to say what I want to say.

PRESIDENT: The motion under debate and the motion under or a before the body and the issue before the body at this time excuse me, for even no discussion is the reconsideration of the action which returns LB256 to select file for a specific amendment. That is the only issue before the body and the only question that I would consider proper at this time at least under accepted rules of parliamentary procedure would be questions regarding clarification of the issue or order.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President I request to talk on the same basis as Senator Carpenter did.

PRESIDENT: On the point of a personal privilege. Go ahead sir.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, fellow members, A few weeks ago like 6 or 8 weeks ago we had some tremendous leadership in this legislature. We did a very courageous thing in following our leadership in accepting 259 which is a good budget which provides for the state of Nebraska. We followed this leadership for weeks until 445 came along. Since we passed 445 this legislature has been in shambles. Senator Proud is giving us a chance at this time on 256 to follow some leadership