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SENATOR MAHONEY: I understand. Thank you.

SENATOR MARVEL: It's simply, Senator Mahoney, to avoid additional red tape.

SENATOR MAHONEY: I understand, Senator Marvel. Thank you.

SPEAKER: Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I pass.

SPEAKER: Senator Burbach.

SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I would ask that 17 which is one of the bracketed bills be brought back at the appropriate time to Select File for a specific amendment. Last year...last year an amendment was offered which would have exempted the public or the gas companies their meters. This amendment was offered by Senator Stromer. I was absent at that time. I believe I was possibly in Washington. But he only offered I believe really half of the amendment which was necessary. The other portion of the amendment which I will get ready, and then I will ask that Seventeen be brought back to Select File. And have this amendment or local authority or meters used after local authority, or meters used by political subdivisions or electric co-operatives. I'm sure that the body will be interested in the passage of this amendment. I think it's necessary that we do submit that all. So I would like to ask that Seventeen not be included in Senator Marvel's request at this time because the same delay will be brought about by the time lag by having this bill on Select File for discussion and then brought back. We are not...I am not asking that 17A be in a different position that Senator Marvel is requesting.

SPEAKER: Senator you are not asking that that bill be taken up today, right.

SENATOR BURBACH: I don't have the amendment to offer to give.. I have only a single copy. But I will get copies made and send it to the desk and offer it at that time.

SPEAKER: The only thing is if it is not included in Senator Marvel's motion it supposedly would be acted on today, but you in affect just want to bracket that for a..

SENATOR BURBACH: I don't want to bring it ahead of Senator Marvel's motion of January 7, or whatever date he has in mind. But sometime today or tomorrow we could bring it back, and it wouldn't be ahead of the others anyway.

SPEAKER: What do you want to do with it right now?

SENATOR BURBACH: Just ask that it be exempt from Senator Marvel's request.

SPEAKER: Well, Senator, if it is exempt from his request then it would be taken up this morning. Because he's just asking that all of the Bills on Final Reading be delayed for, I believe it's seven days. But you want to leave it in it's present position for an undetermined time?

SENATOR BURBACH: For tomorrow for example. Let's us say tomorrow.

SPEAKER: All right then. You want to exempt that from Senator Marvel's request and leave it in it's position until tomorrow at which time you will have a position.

SENATOR BURBACH: I'll have an amendment.

SPEAKER: Are there any objections to that? It is so ordered. Now, Senator Clark.