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in the budget bill that we submit to you the last of the week. We invited to these hearings his fiscal staff. We asked the fiscal staff of the Governor at each one of these hearings whether or not they had any recommendations to make. They did not so we basically assumed on the basis of the voluminous note that they were taking that they were doing their homework as we held the hearing. We hope in the near future that the Executive branch and his fiscal staff combined will come to this Legislature with specific recommendations because we're involved in a 60-day session and to be blunt with you, we can't wait indefinitely for input that we need not only from the department but also from the executive branch. So, by the end of the week, we're going to have a bill for you to consider. Shortly after the first of February, we should have 2 or 3 more bills. Mr. President, that's my report of progress as far as the Appropriations Committee is concerned and as far as the input from the Governor and his staff.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Marvel. Please turn off your light now. Senator Marvel, turn off your light, thank you. Senator Whitney, we're ready for General File. We're going to move on here to LB396. We have a motion up here on the desk apparently that you want to bracket that until the 21st. Do you want to speak to that motion? The chair recognizes Senator Whitney.

SENATOR WHITNEY: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. Senator Carpenter has come to me and suggested that he and I get together on some amendments here and I have agreed. And, the amendment is now in the bill writer's hands and it should be ready in about a half-hour. So, I would like to wait over for the time being. And discuss it a little later.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Whitney. Are there any objections to laying the bill over just temporarily? Carrying on, so ordered then. LB396 we will bypass temporarily. That brings up for General File debate Legislative Resolution 19. Senator Syas, now, we have copies of the Resolution here, etc. Do you want those passed out? All right, we have Senator Carpenter's original Resolution but we have your amendments to it is the chair's understanding.

SENATOR SYAS: It's my amendment but I assumed I got it for Senator Carpenter but....

PRESIDENT: Committee amendments from your Constitutional....

SENATOR SYAS: What committee amendments....it's his amendment....

PRESIDENT: Senator Carpenter, you're having one passed out now? What about the one that the Clerk has?

SENATOR CARPENTER: I presume it's the same thing.

CLERK: Well, what I have, Mr. President, we were instructed before to Xerox the Resolutions together with the committee amendments together with the committee statement of intent. Do you desire that those be passed?

PRESIDENT: The point was, Senator Carpenter, was that we didn't want to pass these things out if you weren't going to go ahead with it and it's been bracketed several times and then, you know, we were just going to have something else setting out there that would be lost and it wouldn't be before the Body when we got ready to debate it. I think we....

SENATOR CARPENTER: I think we ought to dispose of it now and get rid of it one way or the other. Now, is that the same as the Clerk has on his desk?

PRESIDENT: No.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, then I move that the Clerk substitute the motion I sent to his desk for the Resolution. Now the substitute motion is now being passed out to the members of the Body so you can