

position for sure because we don't have one, and I certainly think that we should take a little time on this. We are all interested in how this affects our own districts. What we are all interested in how this affects our own districts we are actually doing is the meeting of the committee as a whole. Most of us haven't serving on the Education Committee and I for one want to see how these projections under both circumstances, or under all circumstances affect the school districts that I represent.

PRESIDENT: Senator Cavanaugh.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: I would like to fourth that because I don't understand it either. I don't think that we can continue with this at this time with this amendment or this bill until we have those figures and we can make those comparisons across the state so that we can see how it affects eachone of us and the state as a whole.

PRESIDENT: Senator Cal Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the legislature I wonder if Senator Warner would care to comment on this. I know that we had a print out last year and it was quite a lengthy but it was informational and can it be done again and how soon and so forth?

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, do you care to respond?

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, yes of course it could be done as far as 772 as it now stands the calculations that were provided for you the last year would still be valid with relatively little update and the staff can do it. I would not suggest going the route that we did last year with the computer because we waited I don't remember but it must be six six weeks at least for that to be done. There would be relatively little problem I know for staff to take selected school districts around the state to make comparison of the different formulas that are available and I would assume that if you are going to do one or two you would want to be interested even more than that, and I don't know that it is necessary to hold a bill now or not, but obviously it should be done before anything hits Final Reading, for any of those members that want it. It could be done, but I would not suggest what we did last year because...why the problem I don't know, but we waited at least six weeks if not two months for those computer print-outs, and obviously they have other things to do on the computers I guess but it and it is not that easy to program.

PRESIDENT: Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I presume that we all understood Senator Warner, he said that he wanted to hold the bill on Select File after we arrived at some amendment. I am sure that he wants to do that for the reasons that he explained. Now on Select File it takes 25 votes to get an amendment on and it will take 25 votes to get an amendment off. I fail to see how we can give you any information until you give us something in a semi-finished condition so that we can show you how the division might be made. We are only doing one thing in my judgment and that is to try and formulate in the first instance a bill that might meet with the majority of the members of this body and those that are on the outside that are interested. I would hope that we would adopt these two