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would be any questions, I would be happy to try to answer them.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion as to the committee amendments to LB 302. Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: I had a question of Senator Kennedy, but he is busy.

PRESIDENT: Senator Murphy has a question, Senator Kennedy will you yield to a question from Senator Murphy.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Yes.

SENATOR MURPHY: Yes, Senator in the provisions of the county sharing of monies, if I remember that correctly. All funds that they may receive, be they federal, local grants, particular grants, that any region may receive will constitute the counties share will apply as part of the counties share of 25%, county contribution which in affect could make the county in a point of no contribution. Is this right.

SENATOR KENNEDY: It is my understanding that this does not participate in the share. That would be the counties funds besides their obligation would still be 25%, 75% positive.

SENATOR MURPHY: Senator, I read in there the proposition that this would constitute a part of the counties funding.

SENATOR KENNEDY: It is my understanding that it does not. That the county still would participate. They still would have the funds to do in their county with, but that the original would the funding would have to be 25-75 besides that funding.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I want to ask a question. I think this is a revenue committee bill, or whose bill is it. I was just wondering if we shouldn't lay it over until someone was here. Whose bill is it?

PRESIDENT: This would be..Senator Whitney would be one of the interim study that it would be their bill to handle. These are only amendments to the bill.

SENATOR DUIS: Well, I was just wondering if we were going to handle it, whether Senator Whitney wanted to do it, or if he wanted to wait until somebody showed up.

PRESIDENT: These would only be the amendments by the committee. and Senator Whitney will handle the bill. Senator Duis. Does that satisfy you Senator Duis? O.K. Senator Cal Carstens.

SENATOR CAL CARSTENS: Excuse me, Mr. President, I didn't get what the action was going to be, are we going to lay it over.

PRESIDENT: No, there was not an objection to taking it up, or did you Senator Duis, did you want to object to taking it up at this time.

SENATOR DUIS: Well, I didn't want to object to taking it up, I didn't know whether Senator Whitney wanted to have the responsibility of the bill of this magnitude, without the rest of them