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SPEAKER PROUD: Well, I've expressed my views on that and I suspect I'll be overruled. I don't believe in these non-controversial bill lists.

SENATOR BARNETT: Okay, that's....second question then. Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock, we have a hearing for a bill that the City of Lincoln needs. Now, does that mean that one of us senators from Lincoln will have to hold off on a personal bill to be able to call this one to the top of General File or will we be able to take our ordinary bills and bring this one....if it comes out of committee....to the top of the File?

SENATOR PROUD: I'm not positive, what you asked me, I think you said this deal's with the City of Lincoln?

SENATOR BARNETT: Right.

SENATOR PROUD: Well, any time you've got enough votes to suspend the rules, you can do it.

SENATOR BARNETT: Well, the question's I'm asking is we have had, haven't had the public hearing and won't have it until Wednesday and this is the one on the judgment, the judge's ruling to try to overrule that so they can continue on with the project. What I'm asking is, is that going to take one of the Lincoln senators one bill?

SENATOR PROUD: Well, I...I....my answer would be....which may not be a good answer....but it's an answer....that youyou....if anytime you can suspend the rules, it doesn't count.

SENATOR BARNETT: Okay.

SENATOR PROUD: If it's a true emergency, then we should suspend the rules and take it up.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Clark is next to speak. And then Senator Carpenter. Senator Clark.

SENATOR CLARK: Yeah, I'd like to ask Senator Proud a question if he will yield?

PRESIDENT: Senator Proud yield?

SENATOR PROUD: Yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Proud, how many days do we actually have left.

SENATOR PROUD: How many what?

SENATOR CLARK: On the end of the session now there's about five or six we won't be able to do anything, right?

SENATOR PROUD: Well, I think that's always been the situation.

SENATOR CLARK: I assume we have 13 days left, in reality.

SENATOR PROUD: Yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Well, we have five more appropriation bills to come up besides the one we have on there now. We have the intermediate, the large agency, the capital construction,