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law now exists without these bills.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I think there's a good law suit with or without these bills.

SENATOR FELLMAN: Thank you. Mr. President, I would like to merely point out to the members of this Legislature that as bad as the system of underlining those bills up, there is to me, and as much as I deplore the waste of time that we have been involved in and are still involved in, I think it's obvious that what we're getting into now is a greater evil than the one we're leaving. And I would suggest that if we start a course of picking out personally favored bills over those even representing causes that we favor, we are going to lead this Legislature into a greater catastrophe for the work which isn't done and we are now headed for.

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas. What do you want to talk about, Senator Syas? But it doesn't relate to this..right? Can you wait until we dispose of this issue? Thank you, sir. Now, Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: I just wanted to respond to Senator Chambers. There's nothing malicious intended in this at all. I did the same thing with Senator Snyder's motion and I certainly had no malice or forethought in his case. I have no malice toward you or your causes in this thing.

PRESIDENT: We're playing with the order of bills. Therefore, the Chair's going to rule that this amendment is going to have to take 25 votes because you're essentially placing, you're essentially placing LB705 behind LB1026 on General File and that's a disruption of the order. So in order to do that, 25 votes if you are in favor of the Goodrich amendment to the Chambers amendment, vote aye. If not, vote no. You are voting on the Goodrich amendment of the Chambers amendment, Goodrich's amendment to his motionexcuse me....would place LB705 on General File behind LB1026. If you support that motion, vote aye. Twenty-five votes are required. Have you all voted? Clerk will record. All right, read the total.

CLERK: 5 ayes, 14 nays.

PRESIDENT: All right, the Goodrich amendment now did not carry. We're back to Senator Chambers' original motion and that is that LB705 be bracketed for General File discussion March 26...correct? All right, if you support that motion of Senator Good....Senator Chambers', vote aye. If not.... wait a minute....Senator DeCamp. Jumped up just in the nick of time, didn't you? Okay, Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DE CAMP: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Don't want to take up any time but I think everything in the bill has already been adopted. Everything that's going to be has already been adopted in the last couple hours or the last day by the Supreme Court of the State of Nebraska. I think it's a completely mute question to even spend time on it.

PRESIDENT: All right, the motion is to place LB705 to be bracketed on....excuse me, Senator Chambers. Senator Chambers.