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encourage State Senators to preserve their public papers and encourages them if they would like to file them with the State Archivist. They are not mandated to do so or required in any way whatsoever.

SENATOR JOHNSON: All right, so I have no obligation under 747 as presently drafted to either expose my papers for whatever they are worth to the public?

SENATOR WESELY: No.

SENATOR JOHNSON: Or in the alternative to deposit them with the State Archivist.

SENATOR WESELY: No, you are only encouraged to do so.

SENATOR JOHNSON: Okay, thank you.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Lewis.

SENATOR LEWIS: Mr. President, I have several questions on this bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Wesely, will you respond to a question from Senator Lewis?

SENATOR WESELY: I will try.

SENATOR LEWIS: Now Senator Wesely, who is responsible for all the maintenance and upkeep of any of the records and how do those get transferred, and I am concerned that this doesn't become a major money bill again.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. Lewis, in your bill book there is a fiscal note that shows no fiscal impact.

SENATOR LEWIS: Yes, but I think there is some hidden meaning here. Well, Mr. President, I think that you need to look this bill over very carefully. I think this is an end run on Senator Fitzgerald, and I think that involved in here somewhere is something to do with that Veterans' Home in Omaha and I want you to look at it carefully before you vote for it.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, sometimes it is these little bills that have an ominous meaning in them, and this says it has no fiscal