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it is important that we attempt to meet the needs of those areas to fulfill the commitments that are necessary that we made when we established the various regions to deal with the problems of the mentally handicapped. The anticipated revenues for the General Fund are sufficient to meet the entire expenditures voted by this body, and I deliberately called this motion from the second this afternoon to the last so that we would not have to worry about whether there would be other overrides that would tax the General Fund revenues. The receipts will not be deficient. There will be sufficient receipts to take care of this expenditure. I know that that has been a prime concern to many members of the budget committee. I ask that you support the motion to suspend the rules and give us the opportunity to place these funds back in the budget. That's all I ask of you now.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President, members of the body, I call the question.

PRESIDENT: Well, I see five hands. I am going to put it up to a vote, Senator Newell, because if 25 people want to do it, I'm...it's not going to be for me to decide.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President, there hasn't been very adequate debate on this.

PRESIDENT: Well, there was a lot of debate on the bill so...well, you can turn down the...just vote against the call the question. The question is, shall the debate cease? You can vote against it if you don't want debate ceased. Okay, record the vote.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 19 nays, to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, the Chair recognizes Senator Sieck.

SENATOR SIECK: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body. I have been pretty quiet this afternoon, but this is a major issue as far as I am concerned. As many of you know, I do have a...we say, retarded people. I was visiting with a man this noon who helped my son considerable. He was a counselor. He got him to know his own independence, and he said, you know, we should not call these people retarded. Everyone of us have some weakness and everyone in this body has some weakness.