

here in December just for two days to hear committee reports. So at this point I guess I would be against the kill motion and urge the rest of the body not to vote for the kill motion. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Vickers, please.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President and members, I would like to clarify what I said a little bit earlier. I think it is important we understand that what we had ought to do is to meet long enough to get all of our bills introduced so that they can be printed, so that the people of this state can understand what it is that is before us, have a long enough recess before we come back for that process to take place. And for that reason I am not going to vote for the kill motion because I think there is some good to this idea but I can assure you I am not going to vote for this resolution in the end unless we can put in some mechanisms in our statutes so we can move this whole process a little bit sooner. As I understand it, the canvassing board and all those kinds of things are set in statutes, they have to meet a certain time. With the computers and that sort of thing that we have got in this day and age I don't think it would have to be that long a time from the election...the general election until the canvassing board met. I think we could change those dates. We can move that process up, then we could perhaps, if this idea was adopted, meet by the first of December which would give us that time that I think we are going to need if we are going to do this to get all the bills introduced. As it is right now, if we adopt this idea, then I think we are going to run into the problems that I articulated earlier. I guess I am torn because I think the idea has some merit but the mechanisms that it has to operate at this point in time does not. So for that reason I guess I would like to keep this resolution alive, but then to pursue some other things to see if we can't make it mechanically work in the fashion that I believe, for the good of the people of the State of Nebraska, we had ought to make it work. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Question.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease?