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believe. And the committee can now schedule the bills, the chairman can, that he feels are the most important the earliest. It is his prerogative. He can schedule bills any time he wants to. So there is no need to tie a committee's hands or a committee chairman's because he can do it now. Now, he forgot one little thing in his rule proposal. He is changing what happens to a bill when it fails. He is saying that a priority bill which failed to advance after two votes on General File or after one vote on Select File shall return to nonpriority status. That is a pretty big change. We are just doing this on priority bills but the other bills we are not changing. Now, I want you to think about that. He is just doing it on priority bills. The other bills still get their three on General File and whatever on Select File but he just happened to pick these priority bills out, but that wasn't mentioned. So I say to you, I believe in his sincerity as I believed in Senator Johnson's. This is not the time to change the system. Let's let it go the way it is and I ask you to not support Rule 10 in the 1986 session rules change. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Wiley Remmers, District 1.

SENATOR REMMERS: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I rise to support this amendment. I think I have opposed every rule change so far for various reasons but I think this rule change has merit. I think that a couple of the objections that Senator Haberman made, I believe that Senator Harris can answer those very well. I just simply say that I voted against all the rules changes so far but I think this is a good one and I will support it. Thank you.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Harris, would you like to close, please.

SENATOR HARRIS: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I want to point out that this is not what you call a major rules change. It does not make the changes that are implied by Senator Haberman. The language on what happens to a priority bill after it gets out here on the floor and fails is the same language that is in the current rule, so it does not change that. And also if you have a priority bill which was designated last year, it is in committee on General File or at another stage of the process, you can redesignate that as a priority bill. You can reach back and pick that one up