

with every other word, the Supreme Court will do this, the Supreme Court will do that. It looks like a bill that was laid out to do nothing but enhance the Supreme Court with more power. It deals with subjects that weren't even concerned in the bill itself. Little by little it seems like they have inched one thing or another into it. I would like to ask that we lay the bill over just for one day, long enough to get a white copy printed so that all of these amendments can be put together in bill form and then I would like to be able to sit down with my legislative aide and find out what are we really voting on. I can't believe that Marge Higgins is the only one here that doesn't fully understand this bill and since this is only March 3rd, there is no question that if we lay this bill over long enough to get a white copy that you or your aides can read, you will understand or, hopefully, we will all understand this is a good bill. At least, we will know what is in it. But right now I am not prepared to advance this bill, but after seeing a white copy showing exactly what is in it, then I might be more predisposed to voting for it. I was in the beginning when the bill came out with just 14 pages, but not now when I see about 40 pages. So I would ask Senator Hoagland if he would just defer and have the bill laid over long enough so we could all have a white copy. I realize we will have a white copy on Final Reading, but Final Reading is no time to make a decision to vote on something of this magnitude. We all know that when Final Reading comes you either vote it up or down and many times senators look at the board and think, well, it seemed to have gotten by all right so far, I guess I will vote yes. I really don't think it will hurt the body and it may protect the people of Nebraska and ourselves if we just wait one or two days for a white copy and then advance it. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Hoagland, then Senator Marsh.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: Let me, in response to what Senator Higgins has indicated, has said, indicate we already basically have a white copy. If you will take a look at the amendment we adopted today, AM2103, that strikes the original sections and rewrites the bill on white copy form as the three technical concepts I described earlier. Following the adoption of that, then we adopted the Warner-Hoagland amendment on the probation system which is already in white copy, simply adds beginning with Section 31 to the bill. And then we added the Scofield-Lamb amendment