

affect it.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: That's right.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Thank you.

SENATOR SCOFIELD: Senator Haberman, do you want to object to the bracket motion?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, I want a question answered first to know whether I should or shouldn't. Senator Hoagland, would you answer a question, please?

SENATOR HOAGLAND: Sure.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Anyway, Senator Hoagland, Gene Severens who is the attorney for the Center for Rural Affairs in Walthill testified in support of LB 999 and he said that the farmer would still have to come up with a loan, perhaps from a friendly family member. Is that still in the bill?

SENATOR HOAGLAND: I think what Mr. Severens was explaining is how the partial redemption situation might be effectuated. No, that's not in the bill.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Okay.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: All that's in the bill is the opportunity to partially redeem. It doesn't say how the farmer comes up with the money to do that.

SENATOR HABERMAN: All right. Has the size of the homestead allowed farmers in foreclosures been changed any?

SENATOR HOAGLAND: The size of the exemption?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Yes.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: Yeah.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Okay, I won't object. We'll just research the bill and wait till the 20th.

SENATOR SCOFIELD: If there are no objections to bracketing this bill...Senator Schmit.