

additional appropriation. I take the last sentence to be in reference to the additional appropriation.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: All right. So then what we have here in this release is the termination of any claim based on tort. Is that correct? All right, the first part deals with the termination of any claim of any party based on tort...

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...but even though that would be terminated, the representative of the people would still have the opportunity to obtain an additional appropriation from the Legislature...this is superfluous, as has been said, but I wanted to go through some of the language so you'd see why. For example, on page 3, look at this, "as such legislative body may in its discretion determine to be appropriate in the public interest", that's the basis by which the Legislature operates anyway. All you're saying is that the Legislature is a legislature and can do what a legislature can do. Like somebody asked Abraham Lincoln, is that the kind of book this guy would like? Lincoln said, well, if that's the kind of book he likes, he'll certainly like this one because this one is that kind of book. You're talking in circles and I think it's a waste. I understand what people are trying to do, but I don't want to hinder the orderly, or disorderly, movement of this bill as you would have it. So I'm not going to oppose this or support it. I think it's bad legislation because it is totally unnecessary, so, Don Wesely, I'm not going to get involved in all this because I think it's nonsense.

PRESIDENT: Senator Morehead, do you wish to be recognized? Very well. Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President, may I ask a question of Senator Beutler, please?

PRESIDENT: Senator Beutler, would you answer a question of Senator Haberman?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Senator Beutler, when the Governor called me the other morning about the special session, I immediately asked him, has the reorganization plan program been settled and, if it hasn't been, why have the special session because we still don't know what we're going to do