

Court is not involved in it. We took the Supreme Court out of it. So you don't have to worry about the Supreme Court establishing a dynasty and none of the lawyers are suspicious of the Supreme Court but the Supreme Court is not involved in the particular procedure the way it is now. There is language in there that says going back to the county attorney would require mutual consent of the Attorney General's Office and the County Attorney's Office and the reason for that is simply that if they are going to go out there and establish an office and have a secretary and a clerk and go through the process of doing this, it is going to be a wasteful process if six months later the county attorney comes back in and says, well, we have changed our mind, we want to do it again. So it seems to me as a practical matter you need to have some language such as that in the bill.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Well, then, what I am objecting to is then the Attorney General's Office wanting to create a dynasty here instead of the Supreme Court and they say, county, sorry but you are under it and you can't get out no matter what. Now in my area we don't have a problem, I don't think, at least I have never had anyone complain about it, but in some of the counties who do not have a good program of handling child support problems, they may want to do that but I would not think it would be fair to establish a law that says you are under the power of the Attorney General's Office, and I have a real problem with that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Let me make another thing clear, Senator Nichol. Under current law regardless of what we do with the child support law, under current law the Attorney General's Office has concurrent jurisdiction in these matters and all matters, so right now if the Attorney General's Office chooses to do so, they can prosecute child support cases.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Then why don't...

SENATOR BEUTLER: So...excuse me.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Then why don't we just knock this portion of the bill out so that they are back to square one instead of having to have the sanction and the blessing of the Attorney General's Office. You don't know who the Attorney General is, you don't know who the fellow is that is working for the Attorney General. It is going to be dictatorial and