

quite sure of, but it would be nice to know for sure and I would like to suggest that we do that if it would meet with your approval.

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Beutler and Senator Hoagland, would this disrupt anything if we did this so that instead of discussing all the details on the floor, you could probably work this out? Senator Hoagland.

SENATOR HOAGLAND: It is going to be impossible for me to be here this afternoon, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER NICHOL: No, I don't mean that. I mean between now and when we take up at one-thirty, could you and Senator Beutler and Senator Lynch work on a small amendment so that...

SENATOR HOAGLAND: Well...

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, I am sorry, I wasn't here apparently when you explained the agenda for today. Are we meeting this morning or this afternoon or when are we meeting?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes, we are meeting today as long as we need to, and what Senator Lynch was suggesting was that you and Senator Hoagland and anybody else that is interested to work out this amendment between now and one-thirty so that we could take it up after lunch. Now Senator Hoagland just said that he could not be here but it was Senator Lynch's thinking, I think, that perhaps you could work this amendment out, and I don't think it is complicated necessarily, between now and one-thirty, would that be possible?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Instead of adjourning now, we would come back this afternoon and debate it?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Well, I don't know that we are adjourning now but would this be possible for you and Senator Hoagland and Senator Lynch and anybody else to work out an amendment between now...at least discuss it. I don't know whether you