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minority report theory of voter intent out to the letter, consistent, by the way, with what I thought was a terrific speech by Bud Robinson. I would ask you to overrule the Chair.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Landis. We will now...that was the closing. Senator Beutler, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Point of personal privilege, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BAACK: Yes, Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, I've been troubled by a number of aspects of the procedure we use in this kind of proceeding. But I think we've all basically come to the conclusion that we are the jury and rightfully so. It causes problems in the sense that the courts are the jury on the same types of questions and other matters. But my point is this, Senator Schmit, a person who is being judged should not be sitting on his jury. And my question is, and I think it's a fair question to Senator Byars...

SENATOR SCHMIT: I object to Senator Beutler speaking.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...as to whether he intends to vote further on these matters

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schmit, you have a point of order.

SENATOR SCHMIT: I ask you to rule him out of order.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, I'd ask for a ruling from the Chair as to whether Senator Byars has the right to vote on further matters relating to this matter.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Beutler, I think in order to rule on this, I think we simply have to dispose of the other motion first. I don't think we can continue to have motion of points, points of order piled on top of one another. I think we have to, as we have had the closing on this issue, I think we need to vote on this issue, have the...and come to closure on the overruling of the Chair first, and then...then at that point, I guess, you could raise your point of order at that point. I think we have to dispose of the one first.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.