

SENATOR ASHFORD: Thank you, Mr. President. May I ask Senator Bromm a question, please.

SENATOR HALL: Senator Bromm, would you respond, please.

SENATOR ASHFORD: And I'm sorry, Senator Bromm, but I have not been following this as closely as I should. But is what Senator Moore is suggesting, that there now is a limit of expenditures of...You have to report gifts at what level now, or contributions, I'm sorry, not gifts, contributions?

SENATOR BROMM: My...my...

SENATOR ASHFORD: Under the way the bill is now,...

SENATOR BROMM: A hundred, \$100...when you exceed \$100 from a source in a reporting period, my understanding is then you have to report the source of the money.

SENATOR ASHFORD: All right, and then...

SENATOR BROMM: And I...and I, Senator Ashford, I did not glean from this bill that necessarily the reporting period was...was changing. And...

SENATOR ASHFORD: Right, and that's what I don't quite understand, and maybe Senator Baack, Speaker Baack could explain that. Could you explain to me, Speaker Baack, just a moment, if you would.

SPEAKER BAACK: Yes, yes.

SENATOR HALL: Senator Baack.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Where...maybe I'm a little...where is it...where is the reporting requirements changed? Could you explain that to me one more time so I'm (inaudible).

SPEAKER BAACK: The reporting requirement is going to change. Right now, the way that the accountability, in the past, the way we've done it is you had to report anyone who contributed more than...more than \$100 to the primary and \$100 to the general, or a total of \$200. Now we're saying it...they're going to go to a cumulative form, so it's accumulative for the election period.