

mouth off, then I'll withdraw the amendment. I have never heard him say I will withdraw the amendments. I've been sitting here waiting for you. I'm going to say that that's not the truth, Senator Hall. I'm not going to call you a liar, I'm just going to say it's not the truth. Pardon? What did you say? So I'm going to suggest that we follow Senator Withem's advice and reconsider the motion. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Members of the Legislature, if it's going to become a free for all, there are people who know how to do that. And it's a situation where, as I stated, if you want to pull the amendments, and this goes for Senator Pappas out there too, take it off and I'll just pull the bill. That's all that I will do. See, I've had people who work with the power companies who said they need 1066. Others say they need it. I don't need it. If you all want to do it this way and you want to let some foolishness result in the bill being pulled, here's what I told Senator Withem, this that just happened is not a reason to pull the bill, otherwise anybody can do that and the bill that's being handled in that way has to be pulled. If the rule that Senator Withem wants to put in place now is that when any bill takes the amount of time that 1066 has had today and it's still before us, it will be pulled from the agenda, I will not object to pulling 1066 right this minute, but that's what it has to be. If people are offended at what I have done in the past, and I say this to Senator Withem, one time he told me, I hope you're listening, I hope you're listening, Senator Withem, everything I did was within the rules, everything. People can make motions to cease debate and I didn't say don't do that. They invoke cloture. At no time when we were on one of those bills did you say things have reached the point where we're going to pull it. That's the crime bill and the welfare bill that I'm talking about. It was not done on any bill. Suddenly, at this point, people's nerves are frayed, which I understand thoroughly, but there are certain things which if one man says to another he can expect a certain reaction. And, by the way, I understand somebody said they'd kick my rear end, and whenever anybody wants to try that, because I didn't hear it, I'm available and they better bring some company with them and be ready all day long. And if that's what the session has been reduced to, that is fine with me. I'm like Senator Lynch, there's nobody in here that I'm afraid of. And whoever strikes the first blow at me or raises his hand like he's going to strike the first blow at me,