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where there's 8,000 families, if you times \$560 times 8,000, you get \$4,480,000. So you see what you're adding. And I...I...all I'm saying to you is don't come back next year when the Department of Social Services comes into Appropriations with new money that they need and, whether they're going to leverage federal money with it or not, you always have to have state money. And we have all these buzz words like realignment of dollars and so on, I want you again, to urge you to pay attention to the fact this is not going to save us any money. And I know again, I said a little while ago, you want to go home to your district and say, I voted for welfare reform. I'm going to go home to my district and say, I stood up for women and children today. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Crosby. No further debate, Senator Chambers to close. Closing has been waived. The question then is the adoption of the Chambers amendment. All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President on the adoption of Senator Chambers' amendment to the Wesely amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The Chambers amendment is adopted. Anything else on the Wesely amendment?

CLERK: Senator Wesely would move to amend, Mr. President. (FA550 appears on page 1875 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. Clerk, this is the A bill?

CLERK: Yes, sir.

SENATOR WESELY: Okay. Senator Chambers has graciously offered to work with us on the A bill issue. Rather than putting the A bill into the main line bill, he had some amendments up and had talked about delaying the A bill and that would really not be, I think, in anybody's best interest. So he has...he has withdrawn his amendments and we are striking from this amendment to the main line bill the A bill portion of it. So there is no reason to do that if we can proceed with the A bill. It's an unusual step to take. You can take it but I appreciate Senator Chambers' willingness to cooperate that we don't have to take