

SENATOR PROUD: We have divided the question, we are debating the first paragraph the Carpenter motion, or have we finished the debate on the first paragraph.

PRESIDENT: It seemed to me that there was nothing left to debate but that is not for the Chair to decide. I thought that Senator Carpenter was closing on his motion after I had asked for the question to be divided.

SENATOR PROUD: I assumed also that he was closing.

PRESIDENT: And he said....the previous question has been moved. You are now voting on the first half of the first paragraph of the motion all those in favor of the first half of that motion will vote aye, those.....Senator Carpenter, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CARPENTER: Record vote on both sections. I care not what you do with it.

PRESIDENT: Thank you sir. Senator Carpenter has asked for a record vote on both sections. All those in favor of the first paragraph of the motion will vote aye, those opposed will vote no. Have you all voted on the first paragraph of the issue? Clerk will record.

CLERK: Voting (read) 35 ayes, 0 nays, and 14 not voting.

PRESIDENT: Alright the first paragraph then has carried. Senator Stahmer, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR STAHMER: Mr. President, members of the body, I would just like to clarify one thing. The reason I asked for the division here, the Mayor indicated to me and to all of you that he didn't care if there was an investigation because he felt that if there was anything illegal he wanted to know about it. I think that this is completely proper and the Mayor thinks it is proper. But what the Mayor did say was that he favored an investigation. I don't think that he knew that there was a second paragraph in the previous motion or in this motion that says flatly that if they go ahead that we bring action against it. If Senator Carpenter would add the....

PRESIDENT: Senator Stahmer, now the debate is closed on this. Please remember that this is a point of order that you have to speak at this time. That makes it pretty tough.

SENATOR STAHMER: Alright, Senator Carpenter I think mislead the body by saying that the Mayor agreed with this entire resolution. I don't think that the Mayor did agree with a that second part where he says flatly that they will go against. If Senator Carpenter would add the word illegally after project, I would support it also. If it is illegal obviously we would want to stop it. The only question that we have is whether it is legal or illegal. He doesn't say that here. He says go against it period, whether it is legal or not.

PRESIDENT: Senator Proud did you wish to be recognized?

SENATOR PROUD: Now as I understand this we are now discussing the second paragraph. Is that correct? I didn't assume that Senator Carpenter closed on the overall thing. Once we divided the question it seems to me that we have the right to discuss the second part now. Because that part has never been