

that are attached to Article I at this time and I think that will be just the first one although I do have another one that I passed out just a minute ago. Yes, on page 5, line 1. I will try to keep you as close informed on that as I possibly can. First of all, Mr. Chairman, I would move for the adoption of your committee amendment in your bill book, the first one, and I will have to do this a little bit different than what was passed out to you this morning and this is on page 5, line 1, where you strike the three and insert one and I would ask for that amendment to be adopted to this first Article of the Criminal Code, and then when I get done with that, I am going to explain what the Criminal Code is. Is this the way you want me to proceed? You want me to explain the Criminal Code first and then go to the amendments.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Now this is the first amendment?

SENATOR BARNETT: Yes, but I haven't explained what we are doing either.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: You are going to have to explain the amendment.

SENATOR BARNETT: No, I am not talking about that. About you want to adopt the amendment before they have any idea of what is going on?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: I would think you would have to give them some background on the whole code and the manner in which it is going to be handled.

SENATOR BARNETT: And then go for the first amendment?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: And then go into the amendment. This is the way it has been done in the past. Proceed, Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: I passed out a memorandum to all the members of the Legislature this morning. This is the code that you all have been hearing about for about six years. This is the way we are going to attempt to handle it on the floor with the one hour debate each day. The first part today I would like to take up, the first Article and that is all. I think this is explained in your memorandum where we have gathered and taken information for many years trying to get this code brought up to where we could start acting on it on the floor. Instead of going through two or three Articles in day, I would rather, Mr. President, if we would determine that at each given day that if one Article is assumed passed that that would be the end of the debate for that day so that each person would have an explicit knowledge of what each Article concerns instead of confusing the two and taking two or three in one day.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: That is assuming you can finish the one Article in one day?

SENATOR BARNETT: Yes, that we are assuming that we can get done with one in one day in short of an hour's time.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Yes, go ahead.