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PRESIDENT: Because we are not adopting...this is just... all right. Senator Clark, you look quizzical at this point.

SENATOR CLARK: For a point of clarification from the Chair. What is this twenty-five votes? It takes thirty votes to change the rules?

PRESIDENT: Yes.

SENATOR CLARK: What is the twenty-five votes?

PRESIDENT: We have not adopted any permanent rules yet. These are just motions to put in the form for adopting rules. Then we will ultimately have to adopt all the rules because we have no rules right now. This is just...

SENATOR CLARK: I specifically object to number 6. I want it pulled out. I want to vote on it separately.

PRESIDENT: When we get to that we can vote on that separately.

SENATOR FOWLER: We will vote on them separately, Senator Clark.

PRESIDENT: We will vote on them separately.

SENATOR CLARK: All right, thank you.

PRESIDENT: In fact, Senator Fowler, do you want to just vote on every one of them separately to make sure there isn't any problem?

SENATOR FOWLER: I think just so that everybody feels that there has been a full discussion we will vote on each one separately.

PRESIDENT: I think we will be directing our debate to the point more succinctly if you would do that.

SENATOR FOWLER: That is fine. We will do that.

PRESIDENT: So then I think with all the lights that are on I think if we will just take them up then with the first one which you have already explained. Those of you who want to speak to the first page rule, proposed rule change on page 1. All right.

SENATOR FOWLER: Presiding officer, you do have copies of everything, correct?