floor on a five to 2 vote. As far as the amendments are concerned as I read them I think they are germane to the bill and they certainly include everything that was discussed at the hearing. I don't see anything there that was not discussed at the hearing. So I do think the amendments are only an extension of the bill. I hope we realize that there are amendments before us every day that make many more changes than Senator Sieck is trying to do with this bill. We thought, I think the committee, those of us that voted for to bring the bill out, thought it was an issue that needed to be brought before this body and with that that is all I will have to say at this time. Maybe later I'll have some more to say about it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Sieck. No, this is not his close, no. You're on next.

SENATOR SIECK: Mr. President and members of the body. in response to Senator Haberman's saying that there was no public hearing on this, this bill was brought before the committee. This amendment was brought before the committee and was discussed at the time the hearing was held. these amendments were in the Journal for at least two weeks. So many, many people had an opportunity to review these and if they have some things that they didn't feel it was proper they sure have a chance to visit with their individual senators and express their opinion. And I'm sure that everything is done, what has been done is on the up and up so to speak and I feel that these amendments are proper and it is needed because in the discussion at the hearing there was opposition from the surveyors, the private surveyors that the cost would be prohibitive on their part and we felt that we could accomplish our purpose without getting these small subdivisions to require a repository. So this is the reason that the amendments are here and I feel that everything that we have done is proper and in its proper perspective. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: I think probably we're almost at the time unless, Senator Haberman, you can make it in a couple of minutes here. I'll recognize you. You're the only one on the light is on and then we're going to cut this off.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Thank you, Mr. President, a question of Senator Sieck.

PRESIDENT: Senator Sieck.

SENATOR SIECK: Yes, Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Senator Rumery asked you about fees