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floor and not able to be passed this in this legislative session because of the different problems we have had getting through our workload, but that doesn't mean we need at this time to start talking about the sort of steps that are being proposed. And we did vote against the efforts of Senator Chambers last night and that was I think the right thing to do at that time because of the questions involved, but we do have to uphold the process and the procedures and the rules that we have adopted and recognize the public's right to be fully informed of the legislation that we pass, and it is my concern that we do start a precedent here and with five days left we are going to see more of this sort of effort undertaken. And although you did not...I know many of us did not vote to override the Chair last time, I think you can see now the direction that we start to follow if we do not at this time very strictly adhere to the concept of germaneness and we start sending down a path a way that we may not even realize at this time the sort of amendments that may be coming up. So I would ask again reconsider as I have overriding the Chair on this question and more strictly defining germaneness.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, I would...I know it is early in the morning. I would like to talk to you. I want you to listen to me here for a second, okay. This one is important. Martin and Walt and Harold and Howard and Bill and Myron, I want to talk to you for a second because this one is important. This ruling is important. It has to do with our rules and I don't want us to ignore this one. Last night Ernie Chambers tried to filibuster and we blocked it by arguing that we couldn't look just at section numbers. He was wonderful. He picked the next, the very next section in the chapter and Howard Lamb had to rule whether or not it was germane and I made the argument it is not germane. Just looking if it's in the next chapter doesn't mean it is necessarily germane. And I challenged that the germaneness...Howard upheld me, we put it to a vote, and we all upheld Howard's decision that it was not germane, didn't we? And what we said was, chapter number is not always the only determining factor. Now we did that just last night. Now this morning Roland has ruled that because it is in the same chapter it is germane. Now the question is, are these our rules or the Chair's rules? Do we have a different set of rules when one Speaker is in the Chair or not? We all went on record just last night that germaneness is not simply a matter of subject matter, it has...I'm sorry, it is not simply a matter of chapter number, it is

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