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CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Rogers has an amendment to the bill, Mr. President. That amendment is on page 637 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rogers, please.

SENATOR ROGERS: Well, Mr. President and members, this amendment is one of these "do nothing" amendments. It is something that they brought up to correct some of the language to allow a PA to ride on an ambulance. If you want to read it, it is on page 638. I will just move for the amendment unless there is a question.

PRESIDENT: Did you have anything further, Senator Rogers?

SENATOR ROGERS: No, I just said I ask to move the amendment unless there is a question.

PRESIDENT: Okay, thank you. I have three lights on. I don't know if they are on for this or the previous. Senator Wesely, did you wish to speak to this? All right, Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. President and members, if Senator Rogers would just yield to a question. The intent of the bill, LB 273, was to provide for physician assistants to be able to provide care in an ambulance and the committee amendment clarified that it was physician assistant. This language, I assume, is coming to you from the bill drafting to better clarify exactly who we are referring to.

SENATOR ROGERS: Yes, basically, it doesn't change anything.

SENATOR WESELY: Okay, but you...okay, I just wanted to make clear that we are just better clarifying the situation, I appreciate that.

SENATOR ROGERS: Right.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Anything further on the advancement of the bill, Senator Rogers?

SENATOR ROGERS: Got to go for the amendment...

PRESIDENT: Excuse me, on the Rogers amendment I meant.