

to the committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The Smith amendment is accepted to the committee amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Hartnett would move to amend the committee amendments and that amendment is on page 744 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hartnett, please.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Mr. President and members of the body, I passed this out along with the other ones. I did not...I thought it was going to come up yesterday and we had time to print it in the Journal. And simply what it does is on page 3, line 19, after "city" inserts "at least once", and simply a better clarification of that they...that the cities have to only require to publish the notice on one occasion which is at least 10 days prior to the public hearing. And that's simply the purpose for the amendment. So I would ask the body to adopt the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Smith, did you wish to speak to that?

SENATOR SMITH: I would just say that I can support that amendment.

PRESIDENT: Okay, the question is the adoption of the Hartnett amendment to the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Hartnett's amendment to the committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: It is adopted. Anything else on it, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further on the committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Okay, now we're back to the committee amendments. Any discussion on the committee amendments? Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President, would it be appropriate at this time to discuss the bill because the bill now will become what the committee amendments are?