

shot on his bill after my amendment had a straight shot and, by golly, that's exactly what we did. And so what do we have now, Senator Dierks? I like Senator Dierks, I like what he does. Geez, I hate for Senator Dierks to be mad on me, you know, I don't like that either, but now what do we have? We have an amendment now that says, you know, Senator Bernard-Stevens, you had some darn good points in that amendment you had. We've been saying how bad it has been for all this time, but you know, there were some darn good points in there and I think I'd like to have some of those. Members of the body, you can have those points by giving the amendment a straight shot without this amendment. This amendment guts the basic amendment that I have and takes one little piece of frosting that's "mmmm" good and it is good, but you can have that little bit of frosting in my amendment as well. The other thing I'd like to mention to Senator Landis just in passing, Senator Landis, you're not quite correct. That two-block radius section of the amendment that was previously in is not in there anymore, that part was stricken.

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Members of the body, what I would like to say, with the "Cap" Dierks amendment to the amendment, you can have the same thing by voting for my amendment. What you will not have is the following: You will not have an adult's right to take a free sample from an industry whose product is not banned. You will not have anything in regard to couponing where minors will now have a coupon and will go to a retailer and be able to have to show age. My amendment will stop coupons from mailing samples to minors. My amendment will stop minors from being able to purchase and buy. You have all the icing on the amendment and this amendment to the amendment not only is against a word of discussion that we had on Senator Dierks, and I take that personally...

PRESIDENT: Time.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: ...but it's not a reasonable course for this body to go and I urge you, please, not to support the amendment to the amendment and give the amendment that is pending a fair and free shot. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Okay, thank you. May I introduce some guests please before Senator Nelson speaks. In the north balcony we have