

SENATOR WEIHING: That's correct.

SENATOR HALL: Okay, thank you very much. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Weihing, would you care to discuss the amendment?

SENATOR WEIHING: Much of what I was going to discuss has already been taken up. This was to simplify it and make it convenient on the part of restaurant owners and for them to be able to take innovation in displaying this and to be of a benefit to them.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Senator Goodrich, followed by Senator Hefner.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President, members of the body, I just wanted to point out that, number one, my amendment the other day did not require any sign at all. All my amendment did was say that if they're going to have to have a sign then the Department of Agriculture should furnish the sign, which we adopted, that's fine. Now, frankly the method that, as Wehrbein described it, assuming that's what it is, they can put it on the menu, they can put it wherever, discreetly at a table, a tent, that type of thing. I like that idea better. And if, for example, we are going to have flexibility like that I got no problem with it, and I'd be happy to wholeheartedly concur in the Wehrbein amendment. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hefner, followed by Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President, members of the body, I rise to support the Wehrbein amendment. I think this makes the bill a little better bill. I was...I didn't support Senator Goodrich's amendment the other day because I didn't feel that it should be the duty of the Department of Agriculture to furnish the sign. Many restaurants display signs now. They display them in some of their menus, they display them on the counters, they display them on the wall. And in talking to some of these restaurant owners and managers they say it's a good business promotion because a lot of people are cholesterol-minded. I realize that Senator Hall and Senator Rod Johnson, probably some of the younger folks don't have that problem, but some of us old