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SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Is this the amendment that I filed on my own, page...? If it is, I'm going to withdraw that. Senator Hall has asked me if I'd carry a series of amendments that he has to the bill, not a series, a single amendment that he has on the bill. Senator Haberman, don't look at me that way, I'm sorry.

CLERK: So you want to withdraw this one, Senator?

SENATOR WITHEM: Yeah, I withdraw the one published under my name.

SPEAKER BARRETT: It is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Withem would offer the H 11 amendment found on page 1416 of the Journal.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, Senator Hall asked me to carry these. He left with the assurance that he has visited with the sponsors of the bill and the folks in the industry that are concerned about passage of this bill and that there is nothing in these that are of any controversy, at least with those individuals. They deal with some of the points that were raised on General File when Senator Hall and Senator Ashford were having a lengthy discussion about the bill. They do, basically, three things. Number one, there was evidently some discussion on the bill that there was a difference between...some cases we made reference in the bill to similarly situated wholesalers. In other places in the bill we had similarly situated Nebraska wholesalers and that was a conflict in the bill. Senator Hall's preference was to go with similarly situated...General File, he has agreed to clarify, for purposes of clarification in the bill, to go to similarly situated Nebraska wholesalers. That's for purposes of clarification of the bill that the standard by which we will be judging will be other wholesalers in the State of Nebraska, not other wholesalers in our nation. Secondly, we made reference, and this is how I got involved in this, I made the mistake of paying attention during one of these amendments and offered what I thought was a good argument on the floor and then offered an amendment in the Journal to clarify the point. There is a point