

that is provided for in the bill, that any other appeals will be processed in the same manner that is currently provided by law. There was a feeling that the bill, as originally drafted, was not specific enough in establishing some time lines in order to be sure that decisions were made in the best interest of a juvenile in as most expeditious a manner as possible, and that is paragraph 2 of the proposed committee amendment. In the drafting process, there was one of the parties that would probably be present in a case that was inadvertently left out, and that was the guardian ad litem, this would install that language into the bill. Second page of the committee amendment or further down, I'm looking at a different copy than the one in your bill book, Section 5 is a little language change in the first part of that. And then it provided that the court may order the department and the probation officer to work together in the preparation of the proposed plan for the affected juvenile. Section 6 of the committee amendment provides that all interested parties would receive copies of any notice of placement change that is given, and Section 7 provides an addition to the bill to provide for a hearing to review such change in placement.

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR COORDSEN: The original bill, if there was a placement change, the notice of the placement change would be provided to the court at least seven days prior to the change, and it was felt that there needed to be a provision for emergency situations where a change needed to be made right now. So that's the reason behind the committee amendment, the reasons for the contents in the committee amendment, and I would move for its adoption, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Any other discussion? Senator Chizek, would you care to close on the adoption of the amendments?

SENATOR CHIZEK: Just very briefly, Mr. Speaker. You heard a synopsis of the committee amendments and I think they are very necessary to the bill, and I would urge the body's adoption of the committee amendments.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 182. All in favor of that motion please vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.