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something that was discussed two amendments ago, it's out of order? That's...I don't...I don't see how you can sit there and say I do not agree with the one...you can do it, if you want to, but I'm saying I don't agree with the one-half cent sales tax.

PRESIDENT: Are you attempting to overrule the decision?

SENATOR HABERMAN: No, you've declared me out of order, did you not?

PRESIDENT: Yeah, that's right.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Or did you declare the amendment out of order?

PRESIDENT: Yeah. I ruled the amendment out of order, not you, the amendment. Now you should either overrule me or quit. (Laughter.)

SENATOR HABERMAN: In other words, I cannot put an amendment up there to remove the sales tax?

PRESIDENT: Well, that's been discussed before, hasn't it? And if you want to make a motion to over...to reconsider whatever that was that you considered a day or so ago, about what you're talking about, then that's proper. But you're offering it now as an amendment on the Bernard-Stevens amendment, which I don't think is proper. Okay?

SENATOR HABERMAN: For what reason?

PRESIDENT: It's been discussed before.

SENATOR HABERMAN: So you're saying any issue up here that's been discussed before, if you try to amend it, then it's out of order.

PRESIDENT: If it's been defeated.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, I'm not going to try to overrule the Chair.

PRESIDENT: Good.

SENATOR HABERMAN: I should, because I think the push is