

SENATOR ASHFORD: I'll check that out, Senator Baack.

SENATOR BAACK: Okay, you might just look at that. One thing I right also, you know, just give you a little warning ahead of time is, when you're dealing with the Historical Society, as you go along, just because you pass a law does not mean that they're necessarily going to comply with it right away. It might take a while. Thank you.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Thank you, Senator Baack. Senator Bernard-Stevens, please.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Ashford, would you yield to a couple questions that I have? Senator Ashford, would you yield to a...? I guess I kind of wanted to pursue just a little bit the line of thought Senator Baack was going on, and that is, to your understanding, I assume the Historical Society is in favor of your amendment which in essence transfers from what the bill has from the Game and Parks to the Historical Society. Is that correct?

SENATOR ASHFORD: It's my understanding the Historical Society is now in favor of it, yes.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Okay, then...

SENATOR ASHFORD: Well, Jim Hanson has said that he is in favor of it.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Right. Then the...does he...has the board...well, I'm not going to get into that.

SENATOR ASHFORD: The board, I don't know if the board has made a decision on that issue at all.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Okay. The other question I had is that, do you have assurances from Mr. Hanson or the board or anyone in the Historical Society that they will indeed count this as the amendment would call it or as you mentioned earlier, they would themselves call this state-owned property? I mean, do we have any assurances that they would do that?

SENATOR ASHFORD: I think, Senator Bernard-Stevens, I don't...did not talk to them about that. I certainly have...I will say it's my belief that it does become state property, but