

literal life and death situation, the judges did not assume their responsibility. And Senator McFarland wants to stand here and try to give the impression that the job they are doing is adequate. It is not. And if there are judges who should not be judges, why will he never call one of them by name?

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I identified "Default Williams" for you. Why does everybody know these judges who should not be judges, but they're all afraid to mention who they are or try to initiate any action to correct the situation? Because it's just words, empty words, that are to be spoken and forgotten. And I'm sure if Senator McFarland would take a transcription of his remarks and present it to the judges, they would be very proud, they would be very pleased. I don't know if they knight lawyers by hitting them on the head with a sword like the king and the queen do, but they'd probably do whatever the equivalent is in the legal profession. My amendment, remember, is to amend Senator Haberman's amendment. It would say that they start with that 5 percent increase, then they continue to get those increments which are built in and not built in for anybody else. I hope you will vote for this amendment.

PRESIDENT: The question is the adoption of the Chambers amendment to the Haberman amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? A simple majority. A record vote has been requested. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote.) 8 ayes, 18 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: The amendment to the amendment fails. We're back to the Haberman amendment and, Senator Chizek, you had your light on a while ago. Do you want to, now we're back to the Haberman amendment? Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, something just occurred to me, well it didn't just occur to me, but I decided to say it. I hope you defeat all of these amendments, although I'm going to support them, so that there will be a 20 percent increase at the first fell swoop, then all these increments, and let people see what this Legislature is doing. First of all, it's going to create an appellate court so