

amendment would have given an increase of 13 percent, correct?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: No, I think it was framed in terms of an actual number of a salary, not a percentage increase but it equates to around 13, 13 1/2.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. Have you ever been to the Hilton Hotel?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: I plead the Fifth Amendment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: It is relevant. This is relevant, and if you answer the question, you will see the relevancy.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Yes, I have. Yes, I have.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Have you noticed that they don't have a thirteenth floor listed on the elevator?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: No, I didn't know that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, you didn't know that. Well, there are a lot of hotels that don't have a thirteenth floor because people are superstitious. What is the superstitious fear of the number 13 called, do you know? Can you think? I think it is triskaideka...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: I don't see...yeah, "triskaidekatonomy" or something like that, right, yeah.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...phobia. All right, now if we change that, if we transpose some of those letters, we come up with trick, instead of trisk, we come up with trick. We don't want to deal in any trickery and that is why I want everything we do to be in the record. I believe that a 10 percent increase, Senator Kristensen, on top of the five that they are going to get before this would kick in is reasonable. Then they get a 7 percent and a 7 percent, both of which are already in the law now. Would you agree with that so far? There are two 7 percent increases...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Well, I agree as to the law. That you feel that that is reasonable, I happen to think that it is not.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, not the reasonableness but those