

change to our underinsured motor vehicle coverage insurance. It is now written in the most difficult and obscure fashion possible, it's impossible to read on its face and to know what it means. It is also possible to be offered in a way that is, in fact, totally illusory for coverage and provide the beneficiary with no value. This change will essentially make underinsured motorist coverage excess coverage and have real meaning...

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR LANDIS: ...for the purchaser of such insurance. It is not mandated, it is only a mandated offering, that means it must be offered to the consumer, but the consumer need not purchase it. I would move for the adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Abboud, please.

SENATOR ABOUD: Waive.

PRESIDENT: Okay, Senator Warner, please. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, a question, as I understand this, the committee amendment is...permits the priority bill to be used for five bills, which procedurally I have no problem with. Would these all be considered germane? I'm not really thinking about your bill, Senator Landis. I'm thinking about a new process that will become part of the legislative procedure by using a committee to put several bills together. And I was just hoping they were all similar in nature.

PRESIDENT: Were you asking a question, Senator?

SENATOR WARNER: Of Senator Landis, yes.

PRESIDENT: Yes, Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: There are two restrictions, as you know, on the way that we do business. One is germaneness, which is our own rule, and one is the single subject...

SENATOR WARNER: Right.

SENATOR LANDIS: ...rule. Germaneness has always held that committee amendments are germane to the bill. So that with