

subsection (8) that any person who violates any provision of subsections (1) through (7), and you will recall that runs the gamut of the marijuana laws, and that if they do violate that within 1,000 feet or in the drug-free school zones, that they shall be punished by the penalty prescribed in the next higher penalty classification than the one prescribed in each subsection, and so then the amendment speaks now to the first offense when we had raised that from the infraction that they would be guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor. Now a Class IV misdemeanor is what the penalty was before they changed it in 1978 to an infraction. Now even though it is a Class IV misdemeanor, they would still receive a citation. That has not changed. Still easy, receive a citation, and then the amended language would be to set a minimum of \$100, and that would not include imprisonment. In case any of you are wondering, could not throw any more people in jail, this would be a Class IV misdemeanor. They would receive a citation and we put in a minimum of \$100. That is the first page. It kind of stops abruptly but that is what you will be voting on, and I hope that you will approve this as well as the next two pages. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Is Senator Haberman here? I don't see him. Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, and members of the Legislature, I am opposed to this bill itself and I am opposed to the types of amendments that are being offered. What I have sent around to you is a legal-sized sheet with two articles. One contains a depiction and a description of the hypocrisy of conduct that borders on illegality participated in by the President of the United States. He had a drug deal set up outside the White House for his first speech on television so that he could hold up a plastic bag and say I have got crack cocaine here and it was purchased outside the White House and it could have as easily been PCP. And if you read the article, you will see that in setting up this drug deal, the drug enforcement agent said it was not easy. And the one they picked to be their pigeon was a teenager. They didn't even pick a bad evil midlevel dealer that you can find on the streets. They picked a teenager, and this teenager was so uninformed about things that he didn't know where, expletive deleted, the White House was. The had to explain to him how to get to the White House so he could engage in a crime being manufactured by the drug enforcement agency to help the President have a prop for a speech he was going to give about why the drug war should be fought. Not only is he the