

AM1040. Is that what you want to do, Senator, 1040?

SENATOR LANDIS: Yes.

CLERK: Thank you, Senator.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Clerk, and thank you, Mr. Speaker. The bill originally produced a system of unlimited branching in a geographical area. To accomplish the original objective of the bill, a considerable amount of existing law was stricken. When the committee made its committee amendments and changed the concept of the bill, we neglected to reinstate appropriate existing language that should stay on the books. This amendment to the committee amendments reinstates existing law which should be there, and then the committee amendments would make appropriate changes in existing law. I would move the advancement...or the adoption rather of this technical amendment to the committee amendments, and then we can proceed with the committee amendments themselves.

SPEAKER BAACK: Is there any debate on the amendment offered by Senator Landis? Seeing none, Senator Landis, do you wish to close? Waives closing. We will now proceed to vote on the amendment to the committee amendments by Senator Landis. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 19 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Landis' amendment to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER BAACK: The amendment to the amendments is adopted. Senator.. next item on the bill, Mr. Clerk. On the committee amendments now, Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Now that they're amended, the committee amendments are in the appropriate form to be adopted to establish a six-bank branch bank limit rather than an unlimited number, and also to allow the acquiring institution's branching rights to survive, rather than to be extinguished, as existing law would require. I urge the adoption of the committee amendments.

SPEAKER BAACK: Discussion on the committee amendments? Seeing none, do you wish to close, Senator Landis? We will now proceed