

make clear that's all they do, and will not interpret this archaic language to imply some new sort of standard that they do not previously have. That was point number one. The other one I wasn't going to bother turning my lights on to say, but as long as I'm speaking anyway, I will agree with Senator Chambers who said that this is a beauty and beast amendment. But I think it has more to do with the introducers of it than it does with the quality thereof.

SPEAKER BAACK: Any further discussion on the amendment offered by Senator Chambers? Seeing none, Senator Chambers, do you wish to close?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, briefly. And, members of the Legislature, Senator Withem gave me credit for having an eagle eye, and I give him credit for having a weasel's ear, because I understand they hear very, very well, and they must because there are so many predators who would like to take those little creatures. In fact, some of them have two feet, walk around in shoe leather, and they want to take that little creature's fur and make a coat that does not help the little weasel and doesn't improve the appearance of the wearer of the coat. But, nevertheless, Senator Withem was correct when he said...gave his interpretation of my remark about beauty and the beast. I was referring more to the introducers than I am to the bill itself. But as I thought on it, I figured that what I said could stand also. And that's what's known as ambiguity. But this amendment is a good one, there is no opposition to it. Although I had a little fun this afternoon, and those who listened may have had a little fun, too, I think it's now time to get down to the serious business of adopting this amendment, and that will be all I have to say on this bill. So the quicker you do it, the quicker you're rid of me this afternoon.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. We will now vote on the amendment offered by Senator Chambers. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on the amendment by Senator Chambers. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? We're voting on the amendment by Senator Chambers. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Chambers' amendment.

SPEAKER BAACK: The amendment is adopted. Before we go to the