

SENATOR HALL: Yeah, Madam President, I'll take the opportunity to eat up some time and irritate a few people. I think that this is a classic example of what we're about here as we try to amend these proposals on the floor. Granted, I know they went through the committee hearing process and we're doing it at ten-sixteen in the evening and we put in four hours on Select File and we could very easily adjourn and come back and move this proposal along tomorrow and the motion would be up there. Instead of suspending the rules, we could just go ahead and invoke cloture tomorrow morning and deal with it in that manner, but rather than do that, we have to walk through line by line virtually every amendment to make sure that we don't make these kinds of mistakes. And it's one of the things that I guess goes along with dealing with these types of proposals in these manners. Doesn't matter if it's these kinds of bills or any other kind of bill that we deal with, it's going to happen from time to time. The problem is is that we spent four hours on this this morning with regard to this issue and some of us, myself and Senator Withem included, were here earlier to have public hearings at 8:00 a.m. We now have been after the afternoon hearings for some of us, didn't finish until after seven. Now we're here at ten-seventeen dealing with these issues in order to meet a deadline that some outside third party, separate from the Legislature and from government as a whole, is dictating that we need to arbitrarily meet for purposes of a meeting that a private entity is going to have early next week. With that, Madam President, if the amendment is up there, I'll allow for the introducer of the amendment to open.

SENATOR CROSBY: Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Wesely would move to amend Senator Kristensen's amendment. (Wesely amendment appears on page 845 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. President, members, again my thanks to Senator Hall, my thanks to Senator Kristensen. When the amendment was drafted earlier today the thought was that it was added to Section 33, instead it struck Section 33 and replaced it so what this does is strike the two, first two lines of the Kristensen amendment that again strikes Section 33 and instead notes that it is added to Section 3 (sic) on line 5 of