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SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. President, and members, Senator Brashear, I have a question with regard to the committee amendment which, in effect, become the bill.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Senator.

SENATOR HALL: And it is on the committee amendments as it deals with lines 13 through 17. And it reads that a candidate committee shall not pay interest, fees, gratuities or other sums in consideration of a loan, advance or other extension of credit.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Brashear.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Do you have that language in front of you?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: I'm getting it. Would you...

SENATOR HALL: Okay.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...please reference me again.

SENATOR HALL: You bet. It's the committee statement which...or the committee amendment and it would be lines 13 through 17 on that piece, where it says a candidate committee shall not pay interest, fees, gratuities or other sums in consideration of a loan, advance or other extension of credit to the candidate committee by the candidate, member of the candidate's immediate family or any business with which a candidate is associated.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Senator Hall. What's the question, please.

SENATOR HALL: The question is, if I were to, for example, as many candidate committees do, they will have, for example, a credit card that is made out to the committee. This in no way impacts the use of that credit card if they should, for example, pay interest, a fee or other sums in consideration of a loan, advance or other extension because you limit it to that candidate committee, a member of the candidate's immediate family or any business with which the candidate is associated.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: That is correct, Senator Hall, and those are