

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, Senator Witek raised a good point. I didn't realize we'd get to this amendment this soon and there's information I thought I'd have a chance to get which I really need but don't have, so I'm going to withdraw the amendment at this point.

SPEAKER WITHEM: It is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have to the committee amendments is by Senator Pirsch. Senator, AM1569. (Amendment appears on pages 1599-1601 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Pirsch.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Mr. Clerk.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Bohlke, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Point of order, asking if the amendment is germane.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Could you state the reasoning as to why you feel the amendment is not germane?

SENATOR BOHLKE: I believe, as stated before, the same, that it would be to the bill and not to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Pirsch, do you have an argument as to why your amendment is germane to the committee amendments?

SENATOR PIRSCH: Well, I will say that on page 1, line 1, we do put insert. It does speak to the section, strike Section 1 of the committee amendments, and in line 2, after the quotation mark, insert Section 1 which then goes on to the 43-504.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Mr. Clerk, I need to take a look at the committee amendments again. Senator Bohlke, you raised the point of order. I will rule similarly to the way I ruled with Senator Chambers' amendment that it may arguably be germane to the bill, but it is not a germane amendment to the committee amendments. The substance of the amendment adds a section of