

Not all the 28 amendments that were pending prior to this one being filed yesterday are incorporated. What process did you go through in terms of speaking to the introducers of those amendments to see if they were going to be addressed or not in this substitute amendment, or was there one?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, Senator Hall, as you said, you and I had had a discussion on your two amendments and a clarification of when, I guess, things were going to be pulled. I thought you had indicated to me that you also were pulling this amendment, your amendment.

SENATOR HALL: I see, and did you talk to all of the other introducers of the amendments that were filed to find out what they were going to do? Because if I missed it, I apologize, but I didn't know that there was a meeting of folks who had amendments filed or how this was going to be handled.

SENATOR BOHLKE: No, there was not a meeting. When Senator Chambers indicated that he wanted a rural county in, then when...on the floor Senator Pirsch and Senator Crosby were supposed to be trying to work out something on the ADC payments. It was really people who came to us and said, we would like this done. Senator Chambers, I knew, had a number of amendments. He had talked to me about wanting the rural county, so that was put in. So it's pretty much people who came to me and said they would like this as part of that amendment. You and I had had the discussion, as I recall, on those two issues and on the county subject and...

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: One minute.

SENATOR HALL: Well, the county amendment was adopted.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Right. But, I mean, that's...I'm going over the conversation you and I had and I had talked to you, I thought, a number of times about your amendments and when they were going to be pulled. And so...

SENATOR HALL: I know you came over and asked me to pull one and I did that. It went over to the budget bill. The question I have is, I mean, do you strip the county amendment out in this substitute amendment?

SENATOR BOHLKE: No. No. No, I'm just...I'm just going back