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to whether they...they're recommending that they be adopted or modified or whatever. I believe that has been our process. So I think, and again you may want to refer your question to the chair or the Clerk that the...I think that as long as we have a rules change in front of us that has been referred to the committee and gone through the committee process, that any amendments are in order but that whole-cloth new rules changes are typically referred to the Rules Committee.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Senator Will, let me ask you then a further question and I'm going to disagree a little bit and, by the way, I won't ask the Clerk because the Clerk has had way too much speaking time already this session and so we would probably ask this...ask the chair at that point, though at the middle-aged point I am I may forget that and would do it. Senator Will, when we get to the final adoption of the rules, are we not in fact finally adopting each and every rule to be in our permanent rule? Is that not the final vote that we'll be taking when we adopt the rule change, all the changes here?

SENATOR WILL: That is correct.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: And so what I would argue to you, and I suspect if we want to wind it into a parliamentary problem and debate, we certainly can get into a humdinger, that if the final vote is in fact a final vote on each and every rule that we have whether or not they will become a part of the permanent rules each one of those rules are amendable and each one of those rules can be discussed on this floor prior to the vote on that. And I suspect we'll...and we may have to have a rule of the chair, try some overriding of those types of things, but I suspect that they will be in order and should be in order by the rules and I only say that not as a threat but simply saying that we have a responsibility, thank you, Senator Will...we have a responsibility to try not only to do what's right but try to move us forward. And I think really about the only way we'll be moving forward in the final analysis is if we take that section (sic) (c) out and then I think we can move forward, adopt the rules and get on to the other bits of legislation. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the body.