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thought it appropriate that the language pertaining to redistricting be removed, and that's all that this does. There is an amendment. I can go ahead and talk about that now. It says that in addition to, again referring to your language in the Journal, the language that is stricken in the middle of that first paragraph starting with "During the 2001 Session," continue to strike the rest of that paragraph. The committee has all signed off on this amendment. None of that language is needed. And then if you go to the second part of that, amend Rule 3, Section 6, you would delete the provisions, and also the next part, Rule 5, Section 4(c)(3), and we turned that in. Both of those say, "By deleting all of it's provisions." There should not be an apostrophe in the word "its." If anybody is listening that has any journalistic...having to do with the Journal, just wanted to make that editorial correction. So you would delete the provisions in both Rule 3, Section 6; the provisions in Rule 5, Section 4(c)(3); and then delete, in Rule 1, Section 17(a), at the top of the page, all of the language, beginning with "During the 2001 Session." If you have any questions, I would be glad to try to answer them. Thank you.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Hudkins. Mr. Clerk, is there an amendment to the proposal?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do have an amendment to amendment number one offered by the Rules Committee. It would simply strike the last section of Rule 1, Section 17(a) which reads, if I may, Senator, "Provided, the Speaker shall be allowed to designate one additional major proposal which shall be limited to the bill dealing with redistricting of legislative districts subject to the approval of two-thirds of the Executive Board." Copies of that amendment to the amendment are being distributed to you as I speak.

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Hudkins, would you like to address the amendment to the amendment described by the Clerk, please?

SENATOR HUDKINS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I think not. Mr. O'Donnell has explained that and I have also explained that. So, unless there are specific questions, I think we've had