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CLERK: Reads amendment.

SENATOR MARSH: I move we adopt this amendment to LR 23.

PRESIDENT: Well, Senator Marsh, we actually still haven't disposed of the Lewis amendment which was on the floor, really should be considered first. We're really still just discussing LR 23. I, I realize that, well this puts the Chair in a rather peculiar position because there was discussion of advancing the bill and adopting the amendments at that particular time. The regular order of business here would be, of course, to consider the Lewis amendment first. I'm sorry, the Chair is corrected and now I'm, understand that the Marsh amendment was up here first. Alright, the other, we were under instructions or we were asked to just read the Lewis amendment. Chair misunderstood that that was the first amendment up here. Well, alright, then the Chair is going to rule in this particular instance that as long as we have LR 23 before us at this time, we are now discussing the Marsh amendment to LR 23. That's the issue before the body. The Clerk will again read that motion. Read the Marsh amendment to LR 23. This is the issue before the body.

CLERK: Read amendment.

PRESIDENT: Alright, that's the issue before the body. Now, in order that the lights went on, Senator Moylan, then Senator Savage, then Senator Schmit. Now Senator Moylan, do you wish to be heard on the Marsh amendment? Senator Moylan.

SENATOR MOYLAN: Mr. President and Members, I think we should have time to study that amendment. I can't catch it from the reading really. I would not have any comment on this amendment at this time then.

PRESIDENT: Alright, thank you. It was the Chair's obser-- it was the Chair's understanding a while ago that somebody was going to make a motion in order to print both of these amendments in the Journal which, of course, would put them before the body so that everybody could consider them and we either have to, it seems to me, make copies of all this-- these amendments so that they can be placed on everybody's desk and we'll take the time out to do that if the body determines to do it or else we have to have them printed in the Journal so that everybody can have them, it seems to me in order to consider them with this very important issue. Senator Kennedy, did you wish to be heard regarding that?

SENATOR KENNEDY: I, I thought I made the motion that we would act on it but I guess it had to be by unanimous and then have the amendments printed in the Journal and adopt them. I know if we pass out some of these, some of them will want to study it and it's going to take quite a little time so that's where I thought if we'd act on the resolution then have the amendments printed.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Now, Senator Marsh, what is your pleasure regarding your motion?

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. President, I made my motion to adopt this amendment. I did not understand that Senator Kennedy had asked for unanimous consent but if he does, I object.

PRESIDENT: No, he does not ask for unanimous consent. It was the Chair's understanding that he was going to propose that the amendments be printed so that they would be before everyone. Alright, we still have before us the Marsh amendments then to LR 23. Senator Moylan has passed. Senator