

SENATOR STAHMER: I want to yield to Senator Whitney, I think that he has a suggestion here.

PRESIDENT: Alright, thank you.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Mr. Whitney.

PRESIDENT: Alright, Senator Whitney.

SENATOR WHITNEY: Mr. President, since C. Carsten brought that up, I would like for Tom Kennedy to put that amendment on right at the moment and lets get it overwith and then we are certain that it is on the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kennedy.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Mr. President, does the Clerk have my amendment on page 10, after line 8 insert new sections as follows.

PRESIDENT: Stand by, just a moment.

SENATOR KENNEDY: There is only one amendment there signed by me? This is on page 10 after line 8. Would you care to read this Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Read amendment.

SENATOR KENNEDY: I move for this adoption and this will correct what I'm sure that Senator Cal Carsten was talking about what Senator L. Schmit has had a problem in his district and those people that are now receiving services from a certain district may continue by an agreement by both parties involved that some payment may be taken care....taken care of. Are there any questions on this?

PRESIDENT: Senator C. Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the legislature, I think that it does as far as the individual is concerned, but it does not take care of the county, if the county wants to contract with another group outside of their district. I'm thinking of is Cass County wants to contract with Blue Valley and in fact they have a tentative agreement right now depending upon whether we provide or make this provision for them. They would rather go that way but my understanding is that they feel that have to go with region six. That was the reason for my amendment. This would take care of the individuals but not the county, is that right?

SENATOR KENNEDY: Then let me explain you are talking about an entire country rather than a part of a county or the individuals from that part of the county?

PRESIDENT: Senator Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Yes sir.

SENATOR KENNEDY: I think that probably this is true and I think that there is another amendment and if you have an amendment I apologize for it but I thought that you had part of a county or individuals the same as Senator Schmit and people out in western Nebraska. I would move for the adoption of this amendment then we will proceed for the other if this is alright.