

PRESIDENT: Alright the Cavanaugh amendment is adopted. Is there another amendment to the bill?

CLERK: That is all Mr. president.

PRESIDENT: What is your pleasure? Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: I don't believe that is all of the amendments. As I just read one up there.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I'm sorry there are two more Mr. President. Read amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, members of the legislature, I move for the adoption of this amendment. I have talked to Senator Kelly about this and this is one of the big concerns that Senator Syas had that we talked about that a lot of us had misunderstood when the bill was first drafted. This will allow for contributions of \$50 or under without name address and place of employment. It goes along with the other \$50 limitations that we had on the other bills also for the federal law that we have now under the federal act. So anything above that would require name, address and place of employment. Anything of \$50 and under like Senator Fellman says I doubt that you can buy an election for \$50. Senator Kelly at this time agrees with this amendment so I would ask for the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Alright, Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: As I understand the amendment any contribution of \$50 or less will not be subject to the application of the act.

SENATOR BARNETT: That is the way that I would understand it, the way that it has been drafted Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: What if someone give \$50 twice?

SENATOR BARNETT: Well then they would be contributing a hundred dollars and I would assume that they would have to have their name on that. This is for individual contributions of \$50 or less.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Your amendment doesn't say that.

SENATOR BARNETT: Well I'll have to agree with you that it doesn't say that and it doesn't cover more than one contribution so I couldn't answer that other than the way that I have if somebody offered two contributions I would consider that a total of \$100, but maybe it has to be specified.

SENATOR CARPENTER: If that is what you intend to do, I think that you ought to amend your amendment.

SENATOR BARNETT: I'm open to suggestions.

(End Belt #8)