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we will be glad to field questions with regards to these rules. I do understand that there is a volume of reading material here and perhaps this would be a good opportunity to familiarize ourselves with the issues. I think Senator Goodrich essentially in Section 1 indicated that he thinks that probably the committees have these powers anyway. Now the intent was simply to codify that which is kind of a common understanding and to write it in the rules so that it is there for all of us to see and it would be there for anyone new coming into the body to understand and so on. Again, basically it talks about the powers and jurisdictions of the committee and makes it clear that committees have to follow rules. Section 2 is pages 2 and 3. Now this is a combination of two sections and the language that is being stricken is just to remove redundancies. There is really no change as far as the method of appointing committees and the sections defining Standing and Select Committees have also been deleted in favor of a general section about meeting times. This really has no substantial change at all as far as our system. It simply makes it easier to read and puts the discussion of every committee together. So that is pages 2 and 3, Section 2. Section 3 explains the Select Committees of the Legislature which are the Committee on Committees, Enrollment and Review. It does add one power to the E & R Committee to convert masculine or feminine reference to neutral gender when appropriate. I think that is changing "he" and "shes" to "theys" and things like that. The Reference Committee, if you would look on page 6 in this section, the Reference Committee, it indicates that the....it provides a definition for the appropriate committee to which a bill should be referred which has been the understanding but never quite a rule and then it also creates some rules of procedures for the Rules Committee so that we will act on rule changes at a timely manner and get our recommendations before the Legislature. I trust that does not reflect on the current Rules Committee. That is to ensure that future Rules Committee would act in a timely manner. That would be Section 3. Section 4 defines the special committees of the Legislature which really never has quite been defined and it adds some additional ones that have been created, such as Building and Maintenance Committee, Performance Review and Audit, Telecommunications that had not previously been mentioned in the rules. So this updates the sections with regards to special committees and provides a definition and that carries us through Section 4. Now there will be presented an alternative by Senator Newell which the Rules Committee felt had merit. Senator Newell will be presenting an alternative for Section 2, 3 and 4, and perhaps when I am