

during which time the vehicle shall be transported. That was not changed. The bill also provides that the crane will be escorted by a vehicle or vehicles assigned by the city. That was not changed. Here, the next one is quite an excessive, extensive change. The bill provides that the crane's gross weight does not exceed 120,000 pounds gross weight. Here are the committee amendments. If it is a four-axle crane or vehicle the gross limit does not exceed 85,000 pounds rather than 120,000 and the maximum on each set of tandem axle does not exceed 42,500 pounds or if it is a three-axle crane, the gross weight does not exceed 67,000 pounds and the maximum weight on the front axle does not exceed 25,000 pounds and the total maximum weight on the rear system or the tandem axles, does not exceed 42,500 pounds. Now the committee discussed this entire bill with the Department of Roads and at their suggestion these amendments were made and the feeling was that under these conditions, under the committee amendments, there would be not much hazard related to the city streets or the roads and the highways and so on. I move for the adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Is there any discussion on a motion to adopt the committee amendments? The Chair recognizes Senator Keyes.

SENATOR KEYES: Well just one question of Senator Kremer.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kremer, will you respond?

SENATOR KEYES: What about the length of the crane?

SENATOR KREMER: The length of the crane is not addressed.

SENATOR KEYES: It is not in the bill?

SENATOR KREMER: I mean not in the committee amendments.

SENATOR KEYES: In other words, with the boom it will have to stay under the limits set for a truck.

SENATOR KREMER: The weight limits were the concern because they could break up the street or the highway. The lengths, the problem is dealt with, it has to be escorted by a vehicle provided by the city. So any hazard or any danger connected with the length of a vehicle like this there would be a warning vehicle ahead or behind or whatever.