

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Johnson would move to amend the committee amendments.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: One of the things we discovered as we went over the final white copy is that we had forgotten to marry the definition in LB 619 to the definition contained in the committee amendment as to "financial institution", and this amendment does simply that. It is basically technical in nature.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Barrett, did you wish to speak to the amendment? Senator Landis, did you? Okay, you have heard the explanation of the Vard Johnson amendment to the committee amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 20 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Vard Johnson's amendment to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The Vard Johnson amendment to the committee amendments is adopted. And now we are back to the committee amendments. Senator Barrett, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. President. A question or two of Senator Johnson, please.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR BARRETT: Senator Johnson, don't the committee amendments, as I think you have suggested, amend LB 619?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Yes, they do.

SENATOR BARRETT: And the committee amendments also strike the original sections of 717, the committee amendments become the bill?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Yes, they do.

SENATOR BARRETT: I guess my question is whether or not the committee amendments then have had a public hearing?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: The committee amendments had a hearing that was probably not as formal as a public hearing. However, we did bring literally everybody of the affected