

SPEAKER NICHOL: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: May I have the motion read to me so that I understand it, please.

SPEAKER NICHOL: It is an amendment to an amendment, so it can't be amended.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, so what the motion really does is reconsider the vote against the Beutler amendment earlier, which was the Warner amendment?

SPEAKER NICHOL: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. Maybe I should have it read, then I'll understand.

SPEAKER NICHOL: All right.

CLERK: Senator, the motion that is filed is to reconsider Senator Warner's motion, which was the first earlier this afternoon to suspend the rules. The rule being suspended is the division rule, Rule 7 (3e), which is the rule that allows a member to request a division of a question.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, so if that motion succeeds, then the division of the question is just out for the rest of the afternoon. Is that true?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes, well as far as that particular motion is concerned.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But Senator Warner's Appropriations Committee proposition will not be before us then. That was not what was being considered when he made a motion to suspend the rule, was it?

CLERK: It was being offered as an amendment to the Beutler amendment. Yes, sir.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Who offered it?

CLERK: Senator Warner.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: After Senator Beutler withdrew it.