

germaneness that any amendment that is not germane is out of order. A nongermane amendment includes one that relates to a substantially different subject or accomplishes substantially different purpose than that of the original bill to which it is proposed. The original bill was to propose the extension of a sunset time. The amendment proposed offers a voluminous substantive substitute. It seems to me I cannot do anything else but rule, under this rule, that it is not germane.

SENATOR DECAMP: Okay, Mr. President, then I would do a very dangerous thing but I think it's the only kind of slightly honest way. I would move to suspend the rules. Now when we need 25 and don't have those it's pressing to get 30. I'm going on the theory that some of the Lincoln senators who may not be voting for any video proposal might be wise enough to vote to suspend the rules and at least allow the issue to be voted on. And so I would move to suspend the rules and allow, just like we did this morning on 653A, allow it to be considered.

PRESIDENT: Senator DeCamp has made a motion to suspend the rules. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Before that motion isn't it appropriate to move to overrule the Chair if you don't agree with the ruling?

PRESIDENT: The Chair would just go along with the present motion of Senator DeCamp who has moved to suspend the germaneness rule to consider the amendment to LB 127 that is at issue. Senator Labeledz. Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I'm going to do a very quick...

PRESIDENT: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I think Senator Pappas has a motion.

PRESIDENT: Well, Clerk, what is the situation on the motion before us? We have now a motion to suspend the rules to take up the amendment.

SENATOR PAPPAS: I'd like to make a motion to challenge the Chair, overrule the Chair.