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so sure we have anything to reform about. I am quite comfortable with my conduct. I am quite comfortable with the meals that I have eaten. I am quite comfortable with some of the gratuities that maybe I have received. I don't think at any time it has ever influenced my vote. I simply think that if we try to adopt these rules, we are saying to our public, yes, we have been out of order, we need to tighten up our rules. And so the people read that we have adopted a new set of rules and everything is going to be fine. The rules are unenforceable, they are unnecessary and I think that they simply are convincing people that the inappropriate action of the Legislature does exist and I don't think it does. I would urge that we defeat these rules.

PRESIDENT: Next, Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I would like to ask Senator Beutler a question about Sections 1, 2 and 3 very briefly, then I want to comment on the rules generally. Senator Beutler, would you yield for a question? Senator Beutler, Sections 1, 2 and 3, do they convey a separate grant of authority and are intended to cover behaviors which are not then explicated by Sections 4 through 10?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: Okay, thank you. With that, I would like to make a statement about the rules generally. A standard can be unacceptable for more than one reason. It can be unacceptable because it is impossibly high and, therefore, unrealistic. It can also be unacceptable because it is unclear and in the ambiguity one is not able to defend oneself to know what is being outlawed. We have a constitutional standard that says, a criminal law, for example, has to be particular enough to know what the crime is. Now, with that having been said, I asked myself some of the same questions Senator Haberman and Senator Remmers have just discussed and I come to different conclusions. I don't want to wait until there is some misdemeanor of some kind that requires some rule. I don't want to be pushed into reform by the excessive behavior or malfeasance of someone. I don't believe that the public will conclude that our adoption of these rules is the tacit acceptance of the idea that these are common practices. They are not. It is