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the excavator shall take all reasonable precaution at all times...shall take all reasonable precaution at all times to prevent damage to the buried facilities", more a reminder in law than anything that changes the impact of the bill. So I would encourage the adoption of this amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL:      Thank you, Sena+or Coordsen.      Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Madam President, and members of the Legislature, Senator Coordsen, I just want to...the first part of this, I just want to make sure I understand the intent and maybe the bill drafters will pick this...not bill drafters but E & R will pick this up. Since you're amending something that was amended by the committee amendment, is it your intent to take out all of the language that says, there starting on line 10, all of line 11, all of line 12, plus the committee amendment?

SENATOR COORDSEN: And the committee amendment, it would make no sense, it would have to be an E & R correction, because my amendment doesn't specifically include the language that is in the committee amendments.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: It just goes to the period on line 12.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Uh-huh.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: You're intent is that period would be moved over...

SENATOR COORDSEN: Uh-huh.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: ...to the end of our phrase, "plus one-half of the width of the underground facility".

SENATOR COORDSEN: And the reason for doing that, of course, is that the first part of this section provides for the pinpoint location. The Withem amendment provides that if that can't be done then the operator need be there and help the excavator in identifying the exact precise location, I believe, is the language,...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Okay.