

From the Office of Assemblyman Greylat (R-Missouri and Kansas)

Hello PGF,

I know we're entering a new bill cycle, and you've brought up two far left bills, as usual. I intend to submit amendments, as is my custom. Knowing you, you will likely strike everything but minor grammatical corrections as a bad faith amendment, regardless of whether it is truly in bad faith. But when you treat everything as a poison pill, there is no longer any reason for me not to poison pill.

So let me be brief, and let me be clear. If you begin to strike a large number of my amendments, I will open the floodgates. We'll see how many amendments you can strike before you burn out — 200? 300? 500? And you can bet your ass I'm going to motion to clarify, as is my right, on every single ruling against my amendments.

In addition, I have three dozen amendments made in good faith last week that you struck, which I will be submitting again this week as riders. Just so you understand what is going on, I'll spell it out: every amendment you strike will be resubmitted weekly until it goes to a vote. If you're very zealous in your striking of my amendments, I'll start digging up and resubmitting amendments struck by your predecessor, LeavenSilva, in addition to those you've personally stricken.

But don't you worry. If that seems repetitive and finite, I have plenty of other original ideas for poison pills I can propose should you decide to take that route.

Regards,

Greylat