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(WHEREUPON, on the above date, there came up
for consideration in the Senate Session - 2nd
Extraordinary Session - 3rd Extraordinary Day,
Senate Bills Amendment to 7001, 7002, 7003, 7004,
7005, and 7006. Discussion pertaining to these
bills were as follows:)

(Prayer.)

(Pledge of allegiance.)

MR. SPEAKER: Without objection the
consent calendar has passed. Motion to consider is
hereby tabled.

Next order, Mr. Clerk.

THE CLERK: We're going on the regular
calendar, Item Number 1, Senate Bill 2, by Senator
Johnson on 30, final consideration for Speaker of
the House goes on the desk.

MR. SPEAKER: Leader Johnson, you're
recognized.

SENATOR JOHNSON: Thank you,
Mr. Speaker. I move to conform and substitute to
House Bill 7002.

MR. SPEAKER: That's a proper motion,

1 2022 congressional maps, so in 2022, to the sponsor,
2 when congressional maps were being considered, was
3 race a factor in determining the boundaries of the
4 9th Congressional District?

5 It's "yes," "no," or "I don't know."
6 It's okay to say you don't know. But I'm asking
7 about those specific maps.

8 MR. SPEAKER: Senator Stevens to
9 respond.

10 SENATOR STEVENS: Thank you -- thank
11 you, Mr. Speaker.

12 As I said, this map is what we're
13 talking about. This map, proposed map, modernizes
14 Tennessee's redistricting process by removing racial
15 data from the map-making process entirely.

16 MR. SPEAKER: Leader Akbari.

17 SENATOR AKBARI: Thank you, Mr. Speaker.
18 Did you consider keeping Memphis intact
19 as a single community of interest when designing
20 these maps?

21 MR. SPEAKER: Senator Stevens, did you
22 hear the question?

23 SENATOR STEVENS: Thank you,
24 Mr. Speaker. No, I did not hear the question.

25 SENATOR AKBARI: Okay. I'm going to

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