

are not going to do that to business. You know what drives the businessman up the wall and out of business is the nit picking kind of nonsense you are talking about here. Let the Red Lion descend upon my friends from Omaha and let the Hilton Hotel descend upon my friends from Lincoln and they will explain the "why", why some of these things are in the statutes. The language we are putting in here is standard language in most states and all of you who are discussing this know it. You know it. Now there may be some nonattorneys on the floor who do not know it but the rest of you know it. And I would suggest you do this body a disservice to harangue about language which was accepted across the fifty states and try to make an issue of it on this bill. Now you can pick it to death. I have as much time as you do. I will be back home planting corn in a few more days and I will be happy but I am not going to make any big case about the bill. All I am saying is that do not stand on this floor and cloak yourselves sanctimoniously as a defender of the consumer or anything else in an attempt to pick this bill apart because it is not going to work. I suggest that you defeat the Beutler amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: I would like to announce before they leave, there is 12 sixth to eighth grade students from Berwyn. The teacher is Mary Ellingson. They are in the North balcony. Will you stand and be recognized please. They are in Senator Lamb's District. Also in Senator Wagner's District we have 22 students from North Loup. The teacher is Arden Svoboda. They are in the North balcony. Will you stand and be recognized please. Welcome to the Unicameral and the boys basketball tournament. Senator Cullan.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, before I address Senator Beutler's amendment, I would like to apologize to Senator Fowler and to Senator Wesely. The comment I made earlier was not intended as an insult to either one of those gentlemen but merely to point out that there were not simply attorneys that were addressing the issue. If I insulted those gentlemen, I certainly apologize for that. Secondly, I would support Senator Landis or Senator Beutler's amendment. The situation occurs to me where and which would be difficult would be in the case of a fire or personal injury that were involved, an individual might not be able to assert his rights for a period of time, and perhaps if an individual were in a hospital or an individual were in a coma or were incapacitated for some reason and lose the ability to assert those rights, so I certainly think the 72 hour period which Senator Schmit's bill contains is unreasonable. I think Senator Beutler's amendment is not harassing and I would urge you to support Senator Beutler's amendment.