

It almost makes you ashamed to serve in this body when I see this kind of thing going on. If you ask my constituents, this is not their top priority. And we are...they're just laughing at us. Here we are, we're taking up time after time, day after day. We did this last year. We're not saving one child, we're not changing anyone's mind. I cannot force my religion on anyone else, and I don't expect them to force their religion on me. This...there are pros and cons to this issue. There are....there is a common ground. And I don't think that we're going to...well, I don't think we're going to save any unwanted child by all of this discussion. I'm not happy to have the bill referred back to committee, because somewhat the makeup of the committee and so on. And I don't think that we can iron it out any better than here on the floor. But when we're talking about choice, we have a choice whether we go to school. We have a choice on what college we want. We have a choice on what car we drive and so on. We also have a choice in what we want to do with our own personal lives and our own personal body. And I simply think that we cannot push that onto other people or a statute that we may want to devise in this body. We're not accomplishing anything. In case you missed my comments yesterday, as I said again, we cannot love and force communication or cannot be...communication cannot be created by criminal statutes forcing confidential matters to be divulged. And I don't think we're going to accomplish that. So I guess if anyone can devise anything to get us out of this dilemma, I certainly will support it. And I don't think there is any one of us in this body that wants to use abortion as a means of contraceptive. I think that we all come from the same moral backgrounds and we don't do that. But I don't think that we're accomplishing one thing. We're just being made fools in the eyes of the public.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Landis, please.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, I saw that Senator Lindsay was here, and I think he was moving this way. I'm hoping that a proponent of the bill can tell me what one of the provisions does, because I think it's ripe for further continuation in committee. Subsection 3 of Section 3, found on page 4 says, the court proceedings for the judicial bypass will be confidential. Now, I want to know what that means. What does it mean?

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.