

Senator Wesely and I merely repeats and clarifies what I have repeatedly stated, that is, that LB 348 does not, in and of itself, expand the scope of practice of chiropractic physicians to treat any new ills or ailments that they are not already qualified and allowed to treat. And, just as is the case in all of these scope of practice issues, it is only important you mention that we are not altering the fact whatever that scope includes or has historically included. The bill merely gives the chiropractic physician additional tools to fulfill his scope of practice.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Langford, would you raise your mike just a bit. Thank you.

SENATOR LANGFORD: You didn't hear what I said? Good. I'll just say I asked your support of this mutually agreed upon amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Crosby, please.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members, I just have a couple of questions, but I have to make a comment because we've had the last couple weeks in what we feel are strange combinations on this floor of sponsoring amendments and so on. I will have to say that Senator Wesely and Senator Langford have reached a new high in the odd couple category, right? I never thought I'd live to see the day when you two are out here marching together. At any rate, all I want to ask is one question and either one or both of you. Senator Wesely, would you like to...when you use the word on line 3, page...of the amendment, solely for diagnostic purposes, that's the chiropractic diagnosis, right?

SENATOR WESELY: Mmm, hmm.

SENATOR CROSBY: Right. What they need for their diagnosis as to what they will do for the patient.

SENATOR WESELY: Right.

SENATOR CROSBY: Okay. Thank you very much.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hefner, please.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I have a