

courage, the courage it will take to vote for this bill and recognize that the vast majority of people would support this. We've got to see their faces. We've got to hear their voices. And they're not down here perhaps, but they're out there and they would want us to vote for this bill.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Hartnett, please.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Mr. President and members of the body, Senator Ashford, could I ask you some questions? And maybe you have covered this already.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Okay.

SENATOR HARTNETT: One is with this...with a purchase at a gun show? Say that...now we used to have quite a few...I think we still do in my community have gun shows, they pick up the permit, as I understand it, as I read this explanation, at the police. Say that Senator Korshoj is going to buy it, does he pick up the...make it...does he pick it up at his county sheriff? I don't think, in visiting with him privately, that he has a constable or police chief in Herman, Nebraska. Where does he get this permit?

SENATOR ASHFORD: I think that Senator Landis brought that up, too, and it's an issue as to who the identified person would be and we're going to work on that on Select File. But, yeah, the intent would be the local law enforcement person and if Herman doesn't have one, possibly he would have to go to Blair, the county sheriff in Blair, I suppose.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Okay, the second point I think you mentioned in closing on your amend...or your advancing the amendment to the bill you talked about the constitutionality and that that question has been taken care of. And I guess where I'm coming from is that I just...visiting with an attorney and I'm not an attorney, that as he reads the constitutional amendment that was adopted two years ago is that any restrictions at all, in his opinion, as he reads in a court case, that we cannot place any restrictions on it. Have you asked the Attorney General for any opinion on this bill, Senator?

SENATOR ASHFORD: Thank you, Senator Hartnett, for bringing that up. The answer, I guess I have two answers, one is the Supreme Court, in three cases, has said that these kinds of restrictions