

got into some of the other areas, and I don't know if this is valid or not. And, Senator Kristensen, I am not trying to bring...I don't want to bring him into the debate because he only has about a half a speech in him and he has got to mark his time when he is going to do that. Maybe by tomorrow it will be a speech and a half, we are not sure. We are hopeful. I am not really into the legal areas but I did ask one question about, the kids in the schools I went to, I said, how many of you in this class know people who have been in the judiciary, the juvenile court, know what has happened, know the sentencing, and know the details?

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: And almost unanimously, almost in all cases, I had like 80, 85 percent of the kids raise their hand, and I don't know, I thought that to be kind of interesting to be a nonmember of the legal profession because I do know that juvenile trials are confidential. At least they are supposed to be confidential, though I suspect there are some things open to the public record, and I try to compare that to what might be done on some of the other areas in small communities in western Nebraska if I go to the judicial bypass and would that be able to be confidential, and I don't know. I don't know, I had some questions. It would have been interesting to try to get some amendments to look at that but we were not allowed to do that. There are some other areas of the bill that really caused some problems that maybe I will be able to get to at a later time as I think my time is about to expire. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Morrissey, followed by Senator Schimek.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and members. I think it is pretty interesting that Senator Rogers brought up the death penalty because that is something I have wrangled with also, and I think it would be real interesting if we could ask each member of the body, one side or the other, how do you stand on the death penalty, and just see how consistent everyone is. I know my colleague, Senator Crosby, will have no problem with that question. She is very consistent in that issue, but I have a feeling that there would be many members of this body that will be all over the place, that would not be consistent in their stands on abortion and the death penalty. And as I said, I struggled with that question, and I listened to during the