

That's in the state statute. Is that being done now?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Yes, in most every case that raises...

SENATOR HABERMAN: Wait a minute, you said almost every case, this doesn't say every...almost, is this being done on the cases now?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Not every case, no.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Can you tell me why?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: No.

SENATOR HABERMAN: That's my point, Senator Kristensen. Members of the body, it really doesn't make much difference what we put into LB 732, it doesn't make any difference because the judges can ignore the law. They can change the law. If you will read, on page 219, under the Supreme Court in the statutes it says, "The reports of every case must show the name of the judge writing the opinion, the name of the judges concurring therein and the name of the judges, if any, dissenting from the opinion". That is not being done. That's not being done. So what does this body do? This body says, well, they're judges. The judges say, we don't have to follow the law. And they don't follow the law. So what's this body doing? We're creating another system of judges that don't have to follow the law. So it really doesn't make any difference what you put in LB 732, does it, Senator Abboud? Senator Abboud, do you think the judges should follow the law? May I ask the question, please.

SENATOR ABOUD: I think they should follow the law, yes, Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Fine. Senator Kristensen, would you answer that question, please.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Would you let me explain it?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Explain what?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: My answer.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Sure.