

PRESIDENT MOUL: One minute.

SENATOR LABEDZ: And I still oppose the amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Labeledz. Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: Madam Speaker, I somewhat made up my mind I was not going to take part in the debate today. But I want to commend Senator Rasmussen and so on in sticking with this issue. It bothers me considerably when we stand here on this floor, read the articles, we could read for hours and hours, if we want to read articles that we may or may not want to. When we consider in the same seriousness, be it one way or the other, chastising this girl or so on, that my parents came home, I was on alcohol, or DWI, or something, and abortion is a much, much different issue. That girl's life, the rest of her life that child that may come...that may or may not be born, or...and the other children, or if there are other children and family, if that's a married family it's a lot different than coming home and saying, I had a DWI ticket. And it's a lot different than what was compared to the other day, the cattle, referring to women as cattle, in the heifer tax. That really was a bother. But also we can stand here and we can say it may be unconstitutional, and I respect Senator Lindsay, and I also respect Senator Crosby. They are trying to make this a better bill, as they possibly can. I think that's what...the same way with all of us. I can recall, in Judiciary Committee, Senator Labeledz, Senator Schmit, and I don't know how many others, and it doesn't really make that much difference right now, who signed on to rights of children. Senator Labeledz, Senator Labeledz has the love and the kindness and the rights of children that she should have, and I know that she absolutely does. That particular bill was an absolute contrary to this bill that she's now purporting on parental notification. I really don't see any reason what we're even discussing this for. When it comes right down to it, there's only one object, just make it so dogged hard, and so mean, and so spiteful for that young girl that may or may not have gotten pregnant, in some cases hardly even knew how she got that way, and make life hell for her and the rest of them for the rest of their life. It's unfortunate that we, as senators, pass our own personal feelings off. I can...if you want to talk polls, I just took one in my area, and it's a long ways from this bill. Parental notification, in the right form is...and grandparents do know, grandparents have the care,