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SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...and pay it off in the future. The building, as much as I want the building at Mead, that building is not as important to me as one unborn child. If that costs me the election, so be it. I don't care. I'll tell you this, the child will be here a long time after the building has been reduced to rubble.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Schmit. Seeing no other lights on, Senator Chambers, would you like to close on your amendment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, I would. Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, this is an amendment that does have merit. Senator Moore puts me in a bind. He makes it difficult for me to know exactly how to feel about him. I know how I ought to react. Intellectually he's a cad, but sometimes he will say something that makes it look like there might be just a tiny bit of gold in that base metal which makes up the majority of his heart. But then when I'm about to give him that credit, I analyze what he said, and here's what he was talking about. The possibility of increased prenatal care, because it might be cheaper to pay that amount at that stage of development than to allow the baby to come into the world hurt. Senator Moore, am I misstating what you said? I'll ask you. I thought that's what you said.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Well, I said it was a good investment from a financial standpoint.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Um-huh.

SENATOR MOORE: It's something that I could support doing, if there was money to do it.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And you said that further down the road you might consider doing that.

SENATOR MOORE: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay...