

SENATOR WITEK: I never have these problems like you do, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well see you're past the point of where it would be one for you, but how do you feel about the amendment? Does it seem pretty good to you?

SENATOR WITEK: I was probably in favor of it until you stood up in favor of it, too, and we've been agreeing entirely too much lately, so I may have to change my vote.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Than I may lie and say that I'm against it, because lying doesn't bother me as much as it does some people, but I'll do it openly and tell you that's what I'm doing.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Schmitt.

SENATOR SCHMITT: Madam President, members, I just wanted to rise in support of Senator Coordsen's amendment. I was discussing it back here with Senator Robinson and also I agree with what Senator Chambers said here. I may be a year or two younger than he is, so I'm not sure that I'm an old man, but as an old ex-police officer I do support this amendment. I think it's good police policy. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Schmitt. Senator Kristensen. Senator Bernard-Stevens would like to announce that the following guests are visiting the Legislature. Bill Fulcher is here from Sutherland, Nebraska and is under the north balcony. Mr. Fulcher, would you please stand and be recognized. Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature, and as my friend, Old Man Chambers said, this probably is a good amendment. That handle may attach, Senator, I don't know. For the body's information Senator Coordsen did discuss this bill in committee and this was not a bill before the committee, however, upon questioning of some people Senator Coordsen did bring the issue up. The issue was debated during executive session of the committee and I think he informed the committee at this time that he was going to run the amendment. We had a chance to look at that amendment and I think that it's probably a good amendment at that point in time. We've had a chance to review it and there are some possible abuses. If this amendment can stop some of those abuses, I think it's very wise.