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SENATOR CHAMBERS: So it wouldn't bother you if the Micron sites were the ones that this facility were directed to by the powerbrokers? You wouldn't mind that? I'm asking.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: If they were, if this amendment were agreed to, if they were in Douglas County and they were a site that is offered, that would not...I want to pick the best site. I don't care where it is. Now the other sites I think you were referring to were in Sarpy County.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think that anybody may have engineered this amendment for any purpose such as that with some preordained sites in mind?

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I don't have any further comment, thank you, except that I support what Senator Bernard-Stevens is attempting to do.

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

SENATOR PEDERSEN: Madam President, members of the Legislature, I just need to state that I definitely do not support this suspension of the rules and adding this onto LB 275. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Pedersen. Senator Bernard-Stevens.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Well, thank you. As I mentioned before, I was going to take a pulse, and I still don't have a good pulse, but I do now know that when I mentioned it I did not know if anybody would challenge it. I need to rephrase that, and now I know that there would be one, and all it would take is one. Senator Chambers is correct, and I am somewhat disappointed in his position, even though he would rack up a win. Sometimes racking up a win at the sake of what is being harmed is not worth the price, Senator Chambers, and you know that as well as I. But at this point, I don't want to damage, and I stated in the beginning that I did not particularly want to damage the bill. I do want to, and I will withdraw this motion, but I do want the members to know when we do get on the adult crime package, there is a portion in there that is very, very important as far as the siting, and we hit that part the