

told the public that that's what he did to you. Well, he's going to whip you on his overrides, too. And I want the Governor to know that I've got a couple of bills over there right now and he can veto them both as far as I'm concerned, I'll just try again next year. Never, in order to try to get one thing done or two things done am I going to hold my tongue and not do or say what I think is appropriate. He couldn't make me withdraw a bill. See, he had Senator Day and too many others talk about how important it is to collect this child support. I remember the debates because I was a part of them. They had women's organizations and others saying, this is part of welfare reform, if we can collect that child support, some of these women won't have to get aid. And, oh, that was such a principled position, oh, it was so important, and the bill came out of that round table. Then when the political kitchen got hot the Governor and others put pressure on Senator Day. And I read where she said it was a tough position to be in. They told her, withdraw that bill, she had no choice, and she withdrew the bill. We all know the politics that will occur, but you all won't talk about it. And in case the public is deceived or misled, they need somebody to explain how this dirty game is played. One thing I respect Terry Carpenter for, he said, politics is a dirty, double-crossing game and that's why I love it. He was honest. Others engaged in the dirty, double-crossing, but they want to appear to be pristine pure. We know politics is behind everything that's being done on this floor and especially so with veto overrides. And when I asked to divide the question, you're going to see politics rear its ugly head again. They won't be able to show me anything in the rule book that says we cannot divide this question. Our book says any question can be divided, any question, and all that's necessary is that the components into which you divide the question are able, each one, to stand alone and independently of the others.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But the politics is here. These last days are the days and hours of politics. And I think for us to pretend otherwise makes us something that we don't want to be. But I'm going to jerk the covers and I'm going to tell it like it is, and you all can refuse to comment, you can act like it wasn't said, but I know what's going on and I know who you are and I know where you are, and I'm telling everybody what you are. I'm going to try to divide the question because I don't