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is that we have a nonpartisan Unicameral, and with that goes special responsibilities. The Unicameral, since we only have one body, we must at times on controversial issues take our time. There is no one else. We do bog down sometimes. But I would put our record even last year on the bills that we passed and what we accomplished...I would put our legislative record of the Unicameral against any other state's success rate on legislation and I'll bet you odds we will have a higher percentage of bills introduced that passed and debate than any of the other states because we are good at what we do as far as the process is concerned. But people want to move faster. And in a Unicameral...

SPEAKER WITHEM: Time.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: ...speed can be deadly.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Would like to recognize some guests of the Legislature, in the balcony, the north balcony, guests of Senator Doug Kristensen. One of them looks remarkably very similar to Senator Kristensen, as a matter of fact. We have four second graders, four fourth graders, two teachers who are (names given), plus the principal of Kenwood Elementary School in Kearney. They are here on behalf of their school. The students will be honored by the Governor with a proclamation declaring February Random Acts of Kindness Month. Would you all please stand and be recognized. Senator Beutler. Senator Beutler waives off, Senator Bernard-Stevens to close.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I hope we can set an example for everyone and do a random act of kindness today and vote for this reconsideration motion to get this going on the...in the right...right direction. But beyond that, without, I think, using all the time to close, I may yield some time to Senator Chambers if he so desires. I don't like it when we get bogged down any more than anyone else. I don't like to hear...when we get into filibusters whether it be, again, you know, Senator Dierks doing it on whether it's on how many votes an NRD needs to have for elections, or abortion issues, I don't like that type of conflict. Even though most of the time I'm right in the middle of it, I still don't like it, and no one does. We would all like to get rid of that so it was just nice and smooth. But, you know, democracy is the ugliest and dirtiest, as far as being messy, form of government known to