

didn't affect everybody equally. In fact what we are trying to do here is to equalize some of the enforcement techniques with regard to various groups of people.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But, Senator Beutler, you and I, as men of the world and morale creatures, know that two wrongs do not make a right. However, being practical politicians we know that wrongs are often done in the name of the state to individuals on the one hand which are not done to individuals on the other hand. Those are all the questions that I will ask you at this time and I appreciate your cooperation. Members of the Legislature, what my amendment would do is to make every individual involved in this process very attentive to what he or she is doing and careful that whatever he or she concludes is valid and correct. It is too easy on the floor of the Legislature to touch an issue which is a political hot button, especially during a year of politics, as this one is, and laud it to the heavens as a cure-all. In fact, it is not that. There is one point Senator Beutler makes with which I agree, and it is that certain people who are elitist and have power and other things going for them, they could be called the "In Crowd", the "I-N Crowd", the "In Crowd", and they are exempt from the things that usually happen to ordinary individuals. So, somehow should be found to have the law impact equally across the board on all people similarly situated, regardless of their financial wealth, their political standing, or social status. That is never going to occur, despite the fact that I agree it should. I am not in favor of a process which I think is flawed, even if the aim is to get those who up to now have maybe escaped from the net. We know that the law always has been like a spider web, it catches the small insects and the large ones fly right through it. The law has always been that way. It will always be that way because the laws exist to protect the interests of those who are the elitist or the rulers of society. The purpose of laws is to build legal walls between those who are considered special or better, and the rest of the masses, of which I find myself a member, and a member who is not ashamed of that status, but who, being familiar with the oppressions and the wrongs committed against the masses in the name of good government, I have an obligation as a member of this Legislature to try to see that those things are not multiplied. This LB 592 would do that. My amendment attached to Senator Witek's amendment will say...