

constantly single out business and business alone and provide exemptions to others and act as if we ought not to business when business is what, in my view, bottom line, makes much of it possible. Having made that point and not being able to preserve the position, I'm going to withdraw the amendment and save the rest of my comments for discussion of the Wesely amendment.

SENATOR LINDSAY: The amendment is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk, next item. We are back to the Wesely amendment. Those wishing to speak to the Wesely amendment. Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. President and members. I just have some questions but I do...and also some information here that I have been keeping in my desk so when this debate came along I would have a couple of things that I think are pertinent to what we're talking about. But just to start with, Senator Wesely, and I'm not...I'm asking this in good faith, at the moment, as a whole in the state, like what jobs pay \$4.25 an hour? Do you have any, just an overview a little bit?

SENATOR WESELY: We have some guesstimates as to how many that affects. Like I said, between 5 and 10 percent.

SENATOR CROSBY: No, I mean but what jobs in particular?

SENATOR WESELY: And I think...well, it's hard to say. I just had a meeting where somebody in a theater was talking about somebody working in the theater...

SENATOR CROSBY: In the...

SENATOR WESELY: ..like a movie theater.

SENATOR CROSBY: The...what do you call it, food stands?

SENATOR WESELY: Ushers or whatever, yeah.

SENATOR CROSBY: Yeah, right.

SENATOR WESELY: Right.

SENATOR CROSBY: In the food stand or something like that?

SENATOR WESELY: Yeah, that'd be one example.