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don't look on every receipt and follow across to see that it was an authorized purchase by the individual using the credit card. If someone uses the credit card in an inappropriate manner, the state reserves the right not to pay that portion of the statement, and it could also lead to perhaps discipline or admonishment of the individual making the credit card purchase. I don't see anything in these amendments, which is the reason I voted for the amendment, that doesn't happen every time any one of us uses a credit card. I take my credit card out, I give it to the clerk that is going to handle the transaction. They put it through the slot. What happens if it's an open account and there's no instructions to the contrary, the debit is accepted on my account. I can still control that. If an employee of the governmental unit goes in and says I want to buy lingerie for my wife; I am sorry we don't...that's not an accepted vendor. The state still controls the conditions and that is what is meant by lines 23 and 24 of the committee amendments, which to me make perfect sense, "in accordance with the instructions provided by the political subdivision." This is the political subdivision's mechanism by which they control the use of their account, and I think it's perfectly appropriate for this process. It does not relieve anyone within that governmental subdivision the responsibility to check on each purchase and not include those that are inappropriate when we pay by warrant. And for that reason, I think that we should go ahead with this. As Senator Cudaback has pointed out, they're going to make a deal with a credit card company. That credit card company is responsible for the operation of the account. That's what they get their percentage for.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR TYSON: And the controls are as good as the people responsible for operating those controls. I don't think that this is inappropriate in any fashion, and I don't think that it's illegal in any fashion, and I urge your adoption of LB 113. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Tyson. The Chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature,