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in these positions, they ought to resign. If they're saying, there used to be a comic strip in the funny papers called "Denny Dimwit." If these people want us to put in the statutes that they are Denny and Deanna Dimwit and for that reason we should disregard the public's right to know and observe what a public body is doing, they need to quit. I deal with complex economic issues, complex scientific principles, complex technical matters, but I am required to inform myself and I only get \$12,000 a year, and I don't have consultants and all these other people that I can call in at a moment's notice and have them sit down with me. If these people don't understand what's going on, let these staff members and consultants prepare memos and talk to them and explain it to them. But to ask me to agree to support a proposition like this because the Public Service Commissioners are telling us they don't know their job is something that I will not agree to. I would be embarrassed to have the Legislature pass a law saying Ernie doesn't understand what it means to be a senator, and in order that he won't be embarrassed, we're going to not have anything done or said that would let people know he's a dumbbell. Well, when you elect people to the Legislature, Senator Quandahl, you can send a mule skinner down here if you want to, but the mule skinner is not going to be protected, and why should we protect these people from their ignorance? We're going to certify one agency of government as being composed of ignoramuses, who cannot do the job that they ran for and asked people to put them into. I thought when you read all these campaign brochures that people were telling the truth. I am kind of naive that way. And they all talk about how qualified they are and competent, and why they want you to vote for them. Then as soon as they get ensconced, they test the furniture. I don't know if they got one of those fat swivel chairs that we have here, but if they do, then they can rock that chair back, kick their shoes off, put their feet on the table, and feel very important. And then somebody says, oh, but there is a job that you have to do, and they say, what is the job I have to do? Well, you're going to have to deal with issues that are technical, that are economic, that are scientific, and some are even of unusual legal complexity. Now what does that even mean? But they say, oh, my God, I can't handle that. So they say, I'll tell you what we're going to do. We're going to go to the Legislature, get them to pass a law so you all can go sit in a corner in a closet