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children. And rather than being held accountable for what they do, they want us to focus on the victims. Society has sanctified alcohol. Society, the best people in society get involved from priests right down to pimps, and it has the same effect on both of them. Take their clothes off, ply them with that drug, and you won't be able to tell one from the other in terms of how they behave. But, Senator Schellpeper,...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...and the drug dealers want to take our attention away from those who are responsible for these problems and focus on the victims, and I won't do that. What I am going to do, though, because I only have a few seconds left, is to repeat that I intend to support this amendment that Senator Schellpeper is offering. It is going in the right direction.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Schellpeper, your light is next.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Yes, Madam Chairman and members, I just gave Senator Chambers some language he is going to look at, but getting back to the amendment that we're discussing currently, that's a different part of the...or a different issue, and I would urge the body to approve the amendment because as Senator Chambers said, we're headed in the right direction. It just strikes "and truthful responses to inquiries" in line 17 and adds "upon request". Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Schellpeper, there are no further lights. Is that your closing? Thank you. You've heard the closing on the Schellpeper amendment. The question is the adoption of the Schellpeper amendment to the committee amendments to LB 126. All in favor vote aye, opposed no. We're voting on the Schellpeper amendment, have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of Senator Schellpeper's amendment to the committee amendment.

SENATOR CROSBY: The committee (sic) is adopted.