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group that may or may not get the death penalty, they've crossed the line, all of them, and life isn't fair. If they hadn't crossed that line, they wouldn't have to worry about what may come. They wouldn't have to worry about the death penalty. To my colleagues that are against the death penalty in general, I respect your opinion. I hate the death penalty. I wish we didn't have to have the death penalty. I wish these crimes were never committed and I respect your opinion. But to my colleagues who are in favor of the death penalty, but may support this bill or plan to support this bill, let me tell you what I believe the three-year moratorium will do. If we study the issue and if we find that blacks who...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR BRUNING: ...kill whites receive the death penalty a disproportionate number of times, and I think that is what Senator Chambers believes the study may show, and it may show that, I'm not saying it won't, there are states in this country that I believe that probably is true, but how will that affect Nebraska, if we find that result? If we put a three-year moratorium, what will it do? Who's next, who's next in line in this state? They are white people, it's Michael Ryan, Carey Dean Moore, John Lotter, Peter Hochstein, Roger Bjorklund, Michael Anderson. They are white people. Even if we find what the study may show, it's white people who killed white people. So will that change the result there? Is that what Senator Chambers is trying to change? No, he is trying to show...

SENATOR CROSBY: Time. Senator Bruning, your light is next, you may continue.

SENATOR BRUNING: Thank you, Madam Chairman. Senator Chambers is trying to show or is trying to point out, if it's true, and it very well may be, I don't dispute the fact, because some studies have shown that the death is disproportionately given to black people who kill white people. In this state our own Judiciary Committee looked at the issue and said that's not true. So what will the three-year moratorium do? It will save a group of white people. Nothing will change for those people, so why would we go about a three-year moratorium? Why would we implement a three-year moratorium for those people? No one has