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right. And, if we didn't, we missed that opportunity, and we don't get it back every time we want it. If our delegate, to the compact, or commissioner is not treated with respect and is excluded from executive sessions, then I respectfully suggest that's another one we blew because, you see, after we voted to go into the compact, there were long negotiations about how the compact would be written, and our next point of leverage was we had agreed to join but we hadn't agreed on what the terms and conditions were, and if we didn't get the terms and conditions right after Senator Beutler had warned us that we would be the site, then we didn't do that right either and the public is entitled to know it because maybe we should have asked that we have two votes. If our state is picked, maybe we get two votes to everybody else's one. If our state is picked, maybe our commissioner gets to be the chair of the commission. If our state is picked, thus and so. Senator Chambers is touching on what is absolutely true, somehow we ended up with the office and the staff being Nebraskans and the expenses getting spent in Nebraska, but it appears we didn't get some of the other things right, and my constituents, at least, are entitled to know we didn't...we didn't negotiate the compact right. Then we're picked as the host site. Then we've got the licensing process, and I'm not going to...I'm not going to go back through that but, no, I'm sorry, I'm sent here to do a duty. I tried last year to get an independent opinion of counsel. We got it. Senator Chambers is quoting from it. It is not a carte blanche, oh, sure, withdraw; do whatever you want, no liability; it's okay. I haven't seen the opinion. It has been properly kept within the purview of the Executive Board and I concur with that decision. I don't need to see the opinion. That's how a confidential privilege and confidential document should be handled. But I didn't...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...nobody has assured me that that opinion says, whatever happens here, we aren't going to be responsible. And so I think our constituents are entitled to know that and not think that we're following some independent counsel's opinion so that we can pin blame when we end up spending money. We've had a very significant development since we got that opinion. In fact, we've had two. The first very significant