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LB 217

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And that's what I have offered.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. Just very quickly, I understand what Senator Chambers is doing here in this bill, and I commend him for it, because I've had...even in my district, I've had some constituents complain on other checks, Senator Chambers, because perhaps they weren't dressed correctly or had a beard or were...looked like they had just come out of the cement works, something like that. You understand what I'm saying? The...and so I understand what people are up against. Banks can be very intimidating. And so I do appreciate the fact that you've explained it so well. And I did read on the computer...I wanted to be sure that I understand, because you have a twofold...a two-pronged bill here. Do I understand that correctly? To be sure. Right. Okay. So I do think that we have to pay attention to how people are treated in business and in our own lives and in any environment that all of us work in, to be sure that we don't slight people or put them down or make them feel inferior in any way. And so I do want to thank you for bringing the bill, and I think that you have struck a blow for justice and freedom this morning. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate on the committee amendments? Senator Tyson, you're recognized to close on the committee amendments. He waives closing. The question before the body is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of committee amendments.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The committee amendments are adopted. Debate on advancement of the bill? Seeing no debate, Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close on advancement of LB 217.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I just want to repeat one thing that I had said, because my