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lawyer, you are entitled to represent yourself in court systems, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Now based on what I've been told, you have represented landlords.

SENATOR QUANDAHL: That's...I have represented landlords, I have represented tenants.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And this is not disparagingly, but if you were representing a landlord and this tenant is pro se, would you, because the tenant has no lawyer, withhold objections which could be made, and if you're representing your client zealously you ought to make?

SENATOR QUANDAHL: Would I...would I uphold or would I withhold those objections?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR QUANDAHL: No, I would not.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think that the ordinary person not trained in the law would know the rules of evidence sufficiently well to know when to make an objection?

SENATOR QUANDAHL: Probably not, no.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And they might object to anything they disagree with, would you agree to that?

SENATOR QUANDAHL: That's...that is true.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And would you agree that objecting is a term of art and it does not mean that you have the right to just stand up when you hear something you disagree with and say I object?

SENATOR QUANDAHL: Yeah, it's not I don't like what you're saying, (inaudible).

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Right, it has to be one of those things which