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Although it is, as has been said, and it's probably very reasonable, that this particular exemption would not be the difference. If you were going to go out of business, probably you would do it with or without this exemption. The other thing I would point out is that, even though there is a specific deadline in the future, this is not a brand new idea. This has been around and in the making for a number of years, so that any business that operates a TV station that was caught totally unawares about this, would have had to have been hiding someplace, because this is...this is something that's a policy taken over a long period of time. The other thing, Senator Wickersham just mentioned the notion of competition. And I guess that reminds me again of the question, where do we stop? Suppose I'm running a newspaper in the same area, trade area, as a TV station and the Legislature decides that they're going to give the TV station a sales tax exemption for digital transmission devices. Well, all right, so the net effect, as far as I'm concerned, is that that gives them a better product for me to compete against. It is more difficult for me to compete against the TV station because they have clearer pictures, better sound and all the other. Suppose there is technology that comes along that I can invest in that would result in clearer printing in my newspaper? I would have better color or whatever it might be. Wouldn't it be reasonable for me to come to the Legislature and ask for a sales tax exemption on that equipment, because after all, you gave the TV stations an exemption on equipment that resulted in them having a better product to compete with me. I think this...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR RAIKES: ...this is in fact a slippery slope. I don't think you get to the end of it. I do agree with Senator Kristensen that you analyze these things on a case-by-case basis, and in this particular case the answer is no. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Raikes. Further discussion? Senator Chambers, followed by Cudaback, Matzke, Beutler and Wickersham. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr...Madam President, members of the Legislature, I need to ask Senator Wickersham a question.