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Legislature, being in a very accommodating, collegial mood whenever consent calendar comes upon us, moved the bills right on across. Well we all know that the process is not at an end when a bill moves off General File. Anybody who observes the process knows that when a bill in the position of mine at that point was voted on, that was not the end of the process. My bill came up for consideration again. My colleague took a different approach and voted no. I'm like the telephone company, my reach goes beyond General File. And since these kind of deals, a bargain, an agreement, whatever term is used to characterize it, can be nullified by either party, my colleague nullified the deal. So now we come to the other part of that arrangement. And, as I said in my little notification that I shared with my colleagues this morning, now it is my turn. These bills are not deemed by anybody to be that important. They are not prioritized. People will hope against hope that certain bills which did not draw a lot of opposition at a public hearing, which did not draw a negative vote from any of the committee members, will wind up on consent calendar. Maybe at its inception consent calendar was a good idea. I have had a bill or two, I suspect, that moved on consent calendar, but not very many, because I don't bring the kind of bills, nor do I hold the esteem which will result in bills of mine moving by way of the consent calendar process. I have not stood on a regular basis to prevent the consent calendar from working. As a matter of fact, I infuriated at least one editorial writer by making a motion to move every bill that was on consent calendar off General File to the next stage of debate on one motion and one vote. And with that one motion that I made and the vote which approved it, I probably moved more bills at one time, in one session than any senator had ever done before. And that's probably more bills than I've ever moved in my entire career of my own. But consent calendar became embroiled in the political process that is endemic to a legislature, and it is used for different purposes. One of my colleagues wanted to make use of it to benefit her interests. I'm an accommodating, collegial fellow, so I was willing to enter into a quid pro quo. For the quid pro, I would give the quo...the quid pro, I would give the quo. Well we got as far as the quid, and we were struggling through the pro and, before we could get to the quo, the wheels came off the wagon. And I suspect that my colleague may have wondered if I would carry through on what I'm doing now. I