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Crosby, Matzke, and Brashear. Senator Thompson.

SENATOR THOMPSON: I will yield my time to Senator Suttle.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Suttle, you have almost five minutes.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Senator Kristensen, may I ask you a question procedurally?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Kristensen, would you respond to a question?

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: I'm...yes, Senator Suttle.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Would it be better for me to pull my amendment and reintroduce it on Select? Do you think that that would be a wise thing to do?

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: It doesn't offend me that we're here doing it this way.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Okay. One of the things...the other thing that I was...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: If you'd like to do that, I don't want to...

SENATOR SUTTLE: Yeah. Yeah.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: ...tell you no. I'm just...

SENATOR SUTTLE: I'd rather...I'd rather do this. I've heard some other threats though that there will be no CASAs in Nebraska and I don't certainly want to ruffle anybody's feathers in trying to get this amendment on and I don't want to jeopardize the committee amendments that are on here or Senator Thompson's bill. Would you be willing, Senator Kristensen, to look at language saying that they cannot cross-examine witnesses rather than taking out the word "co-guardian ad litem"?

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Suttle, I did...one of the