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SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR STUHR: ...have been considering concealed carry bills, they typically warn of the horrible consequences that are going to happen if a state passes this kind of legislation. But within a year, usually things have died down and it's completely off the radar screen and people have not even been concerned about it. So I will be supporting the bill, primarily because of the basic right of personal protection, although I don't myself plan to apply for one of these permits. I believe I have a few minutes left and I'd like to give the rest of my time to Senator Landis. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You have 20 seconds, Senator. I'm sorry.
(Laughter)

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Tyson, sometimes we go too far in our public speech and I want you to know how hurt I was and how I took offense, because I think green is my color. Thank you.
(Laughter)

SENATOR CUDABACK: We are debating FA1225 to the first component of the divided committee amendments to LB 265. Those senators wishing to speak are Senator Smith, Senators Hartnett, Thompson, Chambers, Tyson, Schimek, Erdman, Landis, and Mossey. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President and members. I rise on one premise, that the guns subject to this bill are legal. It boils down to a matter of how they're carried. And the other premise I rise on is the fact that we're innocent until proven guilty, not guilty until proven innocent. And my question is, and I commend Senator Raikes for his analysis of the bill and his arguments against it, and I know I won't change his mind, but I do ask the question of whose business is anyone else's what my pockets contain when my pockets contain a legal item? Yesterday it was interesting when an argument was made that this bill is just mostly supported by men, and it reminded me of an occasion last fall when I was in Colorado, camping up in the mountains, and a big fancy RV down the lane was running its generator late at night and a more humble RV off to the side