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think is a consent calendar. To me, these would be consent calendar if the committee saw..to me, I guess I'm...you know, three bills, three things like this, and I'm a little uncomfortable by doing so much on Final Reading. I guess that's...so I'm going to kind of...I don't think I can support bringing them back. I think they're probably good issues, but it should go through the process. I don't know whether Senator Bromm is going to have another consent calendar later on in the year, but I would think these bills would fit in onto that, and then we can, you know, have more debate upon them. And I think...I think Senator Johnson hit it on the nail on the head. Where the cause is, is not with the age. It is with what goes along with the age beyond 21 that causes the problems, when we don't...are not acting with all at 100 degrees as far as our capacity is concerned. So I think I just will...simply will not support returning these bills. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Hartnett. Senator Stuhr, on the motion to return.

SENATOR STUHR: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body. I am going to support the return to Select File, primarily because I am concerned about the first bill, Senator Erdman's bill, in regards to the boating act. I've had many of my constituents who are involved in, live, have homes on the lakes, that have a general feeling that something must be done in these areas to prevent particularly the wake jumping, the boating education, just looking at some of the provisions that have been included in the bill. This isn't the first time we've done something like this, but...and that's why I am going to support the return. As has been stated before, all of the bills came out of committee unanimously, and I think are receiving some debate right now. And I would like to give the remainder of my time to Senator Erdman, if he would like it.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Erdman, would you like the rest of Senator Stuhr's time?

SENATOR ERDMAN: I would, Mr. President, thank you. There's been some comments, some questions. Nebraska is...this is...we're not the first to do some of these things that we're