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SENATOR BURLING: Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Thompson. Are you through, Senator Thompson?

SENATOR THOMPSON: Yes, thanks.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Okay. Thank you. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, now that I have regrouped, I'm not interested in doing the Secretary of State's work. There is no emergency about this, from what I've been told so far. So I would like to ask Senator Burling a question. And Senator Burling, you behave when you answer this question. Do you hear me? (Laugh)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Burling.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Burling, is there an emergency situation? I don't mean life or death. But is there some situation that requires this to be done right now, that you're aware of?

SENATOR BURLING: Well, that probably depends on where you're coming from. This constituent of mine thought it was an emergency. He wanted to enter this field, and it just wasn't possible for him to do that, located where he lives.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: How much time has he put in that would qualify as experience, if you know?

SENATOR BURLING: Well, a year ago, when we first started on this, zero. He hadn't put in any time. And he couldn't find anybody that would let him shadow them, or hire him to get the experience.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So how much experience has he got now?

SENATOR BURLING: I do not know.