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it. I am opposed to cloning of human beings. You know, that's a given. But I would join Senator Johnson's question, why are we doing this? For what...what is the point of it? Where are we going? And I would respond to Senator Friend that upon serious reflection on this, I can't see that it is our business. I can't see anything about it that's our business. We aren't under threat. We aren't recognizing somebody that's getting ready to do this and, indeed, I would submit to you that it's not a state issue. If our nation is under threat from persons that are going to do us in with clones, and there are all sorts of common and cute remarks we could make about the ones we don't want to have cloned,...

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR KRUSE: ...if our nation is under that duress then all of the states together need to make that kind of a response. I am strongly supportive of the research that can be done. I do not believe it's our business to guess, and that's what we're doing here, to guess at what might happen, to guess at this, and I am firmly convinced that we can value life highly, as I do, and my granddaughter's picture is mounted back here if you need to look at it. I value life highly and I don't see any need to do this. Thank you.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Kruse. Senator Brown.

SENATOR BROWN: Mr. President, members, we have had some very passionate discussion on the floor so far and we are getting down to a discussion of when life begins and what that means. And, yes, it is our obligation to use that kind of a discussion to inform our decision making, but our decision making also has to be the words that we put in place and what legal obligations those have. And in response to the question that Senator Johnson raised about how it might impact us, on page 2, line 6, it says that no person shall knowingly derive any product from human cloning. Now, the definitions that we've talked about so far I think are ambiguous, at best. At one point in time, Senator Smith did reference a piece that...and he referenced it just kind of in passing, but what is being created. If you believe that a cell is a baby, it still requires, even after the