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victim of incest...

SENATOR FOLEY: Wouldn't the public...

SENATOR THOMPSON: ...and she's...

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SENATOR FOLEY: That's a crime, Senator.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Exactly, but she needs to know where to go. I want, if she goes to the school nurse, she can still know that she has the recourse to go to the court; that this doesn't get in the way of that.

SENATOR FOLEY: If public school personnel become aware of a crime, I think they have an obligation to report it to the authorities.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Well, they are required of child abuse, but what about to the child about this court process? I just...all I need to know and I will go away is if this...I want to make sure this doesn't get in the way of a school being able to provide that information to that child that they can go to the court if the father is their father.

SENATOR FOLEY: I'm not an attorney, Senator Thompson, so we can speak freely about this.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Okay.

SENATOR FOLEY: But I don't think that I could legally prohibit the public schools from disseminating a particular kind of information.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Okay, so you're saying it's...

SENATOR FOLEY: I don't think I could do that.