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SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...the revenue raising bill has moved on, days are left in this session and there have been many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip, and that should be kept in mind. There is a small sector of this society interested in bulldozing the Legislature on anything touching or approaching LB 775. To placate them, it is not worth risking the derailing of an entire train. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Cunningham, on the Beutler amendment.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM: Thank you, Senator Cudaback and members. I'd like to ask Senator Beutler a question, if I could.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, would you respond to a question?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Sure.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM: Senator, do you...the companies that you know of that receive LB 775, and Senator Chambers referred to this a minute ago, but do you believe that most of them already make more money than that minimum wage?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator, I know some do not. Some constituents had indicated that they do not, but I don't have a survey that tells me which do and which don't and how much less and that sort of thing.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM: Well, most of the companies I'm familiar with, they already make considerably more, at least make that much.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yeah.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM: But the problem that bothers me is when you...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Why are you afraid, by the way, to vote for