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moving, have got to be willing to stand up and draw a line and say, you may cross this line, but it's going to cost you to do it. And it won't just cost you today. Once you strike, you are going to have to continue and sustain that aggressiveness for the rest of the session. I can do it. I will do it. And I've been challenged even this session. But now there are people who wish they hadn't. Nobody can say that I've caught them by surprise with anything I've said or done. And nobody will be surprised to see me carry through on it. I am not, while I'm here, going to let this Legislature be controlled by people outside. Now, I may control it. But see, I'm an insider, and those on the inside can deal with me. Maybe they won't, but they can. You can't touch the Governor. You can't touch these lobbyists. You cannot touch the business interest, so they can sit in their safety and dictate to this Legislature and create all kinds of grudges and fallings-out among the senators. And the senators either don't have sense enough, or are too gutless to stand up and protect the prerogatives of the Legislature. This Legislature has things happen to it which should never even be dreamed about by those who do these things. But the legislators will not stand up. Each one--and I understand this--is interested in his or her individual fortunes, welfare, or political career. That's why I'm untouchable, because there's nothing I want. I am poorer, more impoverished now than when I first came into the Legislature. Being in this office all these years has not done for me what those who fear long-tenured persons are supposed to do. I'm not the tool of the lobbyists. I'm not liked by the lobbyists. I'm not dictated to or run by the Governor. I'm not in league with the Governor.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I don't get money from anybody. I don't accept political contributions. I don't have a job that was given to me because I'm a senator, and by working for that person or that outfit it may redound to the benefit of that person or that outfit that hired me. I do what I do because there's something in me that compels me to do it. So in a sense, maybe I'm more selfish than everybody else. The only way I can have peace of mind is to do what that inner thing tells me