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soon as I find the section.    So actually both sections are amended, 28 and 29 are amended.    So I would rule that is germane, that issue, under both Sections 28 and 29, and that both issues are domestic violence issues.

SENATOR CUDABACK:    Senator Foley, would you please come forward, and Mossey as well?    Thank you.    The Chair will rule that the amendment is not germane.    It's not in a natural and logical order.

CLERK:    Mr. President, the next amendment I have then...

SENATOR CUDABACK:    Senator Mossey, did you...?

SENATOR MOSSEY:    Yes, Mr. President.    I'd like to rule...a ruling to overrule the Chair on the germaneness.

SENATOR CUDABACK:    Senator Mossey, to open on your motion to overrule the Chair.

SENATOR MOSSEY:    Regarding the underlying bill of Senator Bourne's dealing with confidential communications, I'd argue that my bill also deals with confidential communications.    It opens up the entire domestic violence section, which is also included in Senator Bourne's bill, and my bill also has dealing with confidential communications allowing the county attorney or the Attorney General to subpoena confidential communications, such as tape recordings, things of that sort, for evidence purposes.    And under the germaneness of that, the confidentiality, I'd rule that my bill...my amendment is germane to Senator Bourne's.

SENATOR CUDABACK:    Thank you, Senator Mossey.    You've heard the motion by Senator Mossey to overrule the Chair on the germaneness issue.    As stated before, each senator may speak only once and there will be no time yielded to each other member.    Senator Brashear, on the...

SENATOR BRASHEAR:    Thank you.    Mr. President, members of the body, some days we regret a lot of things; some days we're blessed and we don't regret anything.    I have a regret today and