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SENATOR FOLEY:    But the...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...if you're going to deal with a child that is now in the world.

SENATOR FOLEY:    But the facts and circumstance of the case may be known to the prosecutor and provable by the prosecutor.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Because he did it?

SENATOR FOLEY:    No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Then he wouldn't know.

SENATOR FOLEY:    Well, I don't agree.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, we disagree.

SENATOR FOLEY:    Okay, thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Foley. Senator Schimek. Is Senator...Senator Chambers, Senator Schimek has yielded her time to you, if you care to use it. Senator Chambers, if you care to use Senator Schimek's.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, yes, because I didn't get us in this situation. Ordinarily, I'd be negotiating with people like a fool, but not today. I knew that today was dedicated to Senator Foley. And let me say this, even though I disagree with him, I believe he is as serious as a heart attack, in fact more so, because, Senator Foley, a heart attack can be mitigated. There is no mitigation when it comes to Senator Foley. But despite the fact that I don't like what he's trying to do, I don't like his bill, he has as much right to get a hearing on his bill as anybody else's. Suppose this had been somebody else's bill, the water bill, and we talked about it a long time and there were disagreements. I think that bill would go on and we would discuss it. And if we could reach a point where an accord could be found, then something would be done with the bill. Otherwise, we'd just go until the clock ran out. Well, this is one time when I support the right of Senator Foley to proceed as