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in place so that these wrongdoers don't have to deal directly with the federal government.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: If you have one of these local or state agencies, the person has to go through those hoops first. Otherwise, they can go directly to the federal government, and that is why you find some of these businesses and others supporting the establishment of one of these enforcement agencies. The federal government is not as easy to skate around as one of these agencies. Legislatures can threaten to withhold funds. If you have too aggressive a director, the commissioners can say, you're going to lose your job, pull it back. That's the reality that people of my complexion, Senator Aguilar's complexion and derivation face that you all don't, so it is of no moment to you. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Brown, followed by Senator Bourne and Senator Chambers. Senator Brown.

SENATOR BROWN: Mr. President, the language that Senator Chambers is attempting to change is the language that was offered by the NEOC. And the...what he construes as some sort of a loophole for evildoers was their way of limiting the extent of the application of this. No, Senator Chambers, I cannot deny that discrimination happens. I cannot deny any of the things that you have said. And it is for those very reasons that I brought LB 625. I know that you have issues on this bill with people out in the lobby. And yes, I have had conversations with those people. That's not why I brought LB 625. Why I brought LB 625 is that I believe that the way that we change people's discriminatory behavior is when the person who owns a realty company or owns a bank or manages people has the information before them that they can use to work with the people that they've employed to not have discriminatory practices. I don't know if you change discrimination, that seed inside people, but I do know that you can change their behavior, and especially if you're paying them. But in order to do that, you must have the information. And the NEOC, you referenced an Attorney General's Opinion, which I would like to read into the record. The NEOC