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SENATOR FOLEY: Okay. So...because there was some question about whether or not your intention was to cover only heterosexual relationships or...

SENATOR MOSSEY: No.

SENATOR FOLEY: Okay.

SENATOR MOSSEY: In defining a relationship, it is virtually impossible, unless you would just lay out,...

SENATOR FOLEY: Right.

SENATOR MOSSEY: ...this bill only applies to heterosexuals,...

SENATOR FOLEY: Right.

SENATOR MOSSEY: ...and that would be unconstitutional.

SENATOR FOLEY: Okay. Fine. And I certainly agree that if a homosexual person is assaulted that the assailant should obviously be prosecuted. And couldn't that person...couldn't that assailant be prosecuted under our existing assault statutes?

SENATOR MOSSEY: Yes. That's why we changed the law, because the assault statutes are not tough enough on domestic violence.

SENATOR FOLEY: Okay. So the prosecutor could choose which of the two statutes...

SENATOR MOSSEY: No.

SENATOR FOLEY: He couldn't?

SENATOR MOSSEY: No, it would be a domestic assault.

SENATOR FOLEY: That would be.

SENATOR MOSSEY: Yes.