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there are people who will not support this amendment that I'm offering--and I hope they'll listen if they have an interest in the University of Nebraska's budget--if there are people who will not support this amendment, I don't think they can just automatically count on my supporting the university's budget. And what difference does it make whether I support it or not? It depends on how much you want to get done when we're dealing with the budget bill. There will be provisions in that bill that some senators don't like. If you would vote cloture, that means there can be no further discussion, no amendments, no motions, you vote on the budget bill as it stands at that time. If your annoyance with me is sufficiently strong, then to teach me a lesson you will vote cloture and then move a budget bill with things in it that you don't like. And who will have been taught the lesson? Not me. I know people can become very petty, and if you anger them enough you can get them to hurt themselves in a way that you could never hurt them. It's time for some people to realize, who have just come to the Legislature, that issues get linked early in the proceedings. But the difference between my approach and that of others is that I tell you at the time these issues come up, so you can be forewarned and plot a course so you can stymie or defeat me when I try to do what I want to do on the budget bill. How much is this worth that you're undertaking to do? There is nothing in this bill, as it's amended, which indicates that more than 75 percent will be given to any of these people. I would like to ask Senator...oh, Senator Thompson is not here. I'd like to ask Senator Schimek a question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Schimek, would you yield?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Because she may have followed proceedings enough. Senator Schimek, do you remember whether or not Senator Thompson's amendment struck "seventy-five"?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Her amendment, as I recall, just said up to 100 percent. And I would assume that it struck "seventy-five". Yes. Senator Janssen says yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Let me see. Okay. Reading her amendment, page 2, line 7, insert "up to" after "of." So "seventy-five"