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Senator Johnson and others.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes. Thank you, Mr. President and members. I rise in support of the bill, and I believe the amendment. I need a little bit more discussion on the amendment. And I hope that Senator Brown has a chance to discuss it a bit more. There are three Lincoln senators signed onto this bill. I think that Senator Beutler is right, however, to point out that there's not unanimous support yet in Lincoln. But I think the dialogue is very important. I think that this discussion is critical. And I think it could be the most important bill that we consider this year, because of its long-range possibilities. Now, having said that, I want us to think about some things before we actually advance this bill to Select File. One of the things that I'd like to have us think about--and Senator Brown, I hope that you don't miss this--but one of the things I would like to have us consider--and I know that Senator Erdman is tied up in an Ag Committee meeting over there, or his light probably would have been on this also--any time we establish a commission in the Legislature, we started asking the question about, should there be a sunset provision on this? And at first I was sort of halfheartedly convinced that we should always look at that question when we're establishing a new board or commission. I've become more enthusiastic about it since the Women's Health Initiative had to go through that review four or five years after it was established. I think that helps provide motivation and focus to any board or commission that we do establish. And I'd like to ask you if that's something that you would at least consider adding on to this bill.

SENATOR BROWN: Absolutely.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Brown.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Okay. Thank you. And I again emphasize, I'm fully supportive of the bill. I do think, though, that we...other than saying, yes, we're going to establish this and we're going to support it and we're going to continue to look at it, I think we ought to also be considering a broader scope. And I think that's what Senator Beutler was getting to in his remarks. One of the things I've served on for the past couple