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SENATOR BEUTLER: ...to those two things, Senator Flood, I think everything else we can talk about off the floor, and have some discussion with the Bar Association, and certainly reach some agreement on how this should be handled. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. I give my time to Senator Flood.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Flood.

SENATOR FLOOD: Thank you, Mr. President, members. I appreciate Senator Beutler's attention to this. This is a little change, a little nuance that I think will be beneficial to family law practitioners, and help people in divorces make it through this very tough time, especially when it comes to who owns what real estate, and what's needed to take care of it. You and I agree, Senator Beutler, on one point, and it was just kind of lightly mentioned. We both support the idea of district court clerks being...and those offices being controlled by the Nebraska Supreme Court. But that being said, I do think that we have competent people as district court clerks across the state of Nebraska. And we have already entrusted these individuals to not only run the court from an administrative standpoint, day to day, while judges are out, but also to transmit information regarding child support. Obviously, we went to a state system. But they're actively involved in that. They assist members of the public filling out whatever affidavits are necessary in whatever situation it may be when it comes to domestic violence or a protection officer or pro se litigants. We have very competent people as district court clerks in the state of Nebraska. And no, it is not my intent to place a liability on the district court clerk. And no, they don't have to have a law degree, in my opinion, to look at the decree signed by the judge, compare it to a certificate of dissolution of marriage, as discussed in this bill, and sign the same. In fact, this bill has evolved over the past two years to change this in such a manner that it puts the responsibility on the licensed attorney, that hopefully carries malpractice insurance, licensed in the state of Nebraska, to draft this. Because I think, it's