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PRESIDENT SHEEHY: One minute.

SENATOR THOMPSON: ...juvenile justice system. And I totally agree with them. And we need to be moving on many, many levels. But as I've said on this floor before, the juvenile justice system is a series of hand-offs. It is not a system. It is police to probation, police to detention centers, detention centers to juvenile court, the court-backed private providers. There's just a hundred different players in the system who impact on a child. This is just one teeny part of that, to be able to move kids between states in a streamlined fashion, using technology, using the best information we have out there, and making it not bog down and slow down, which is worse for the kids, because we have got hung up on not wanting to relinquish some little bit of authority so that they can have a smoother process and a timely process to move them. So that's what this is about. You have two choices.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Time.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Thank you.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: We'll have Senator Beutler, Senator Mines, Senator Dwite Pedersen, followed by Senator Friend. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Howard, Senator Thompson, I would like to follow up on the conversation that I began before with regard to the provision in the...I want to say in the compact, but actually this provision is not in the compact. This provision is in the bill. And I assume that it would be acknowledged that with respect to who appoints our representative on the compact, that that provision can be however we decide it in the state of Nebraska; that it doesn't have to be uniform among the states; that we can make that appointment in whatever way we so choose. So going back to the fact that this compact clearly allows our representative to be a lawmaker in all those areas described on pages 2 and 3, if folks are interested in seeing what kinds of law this person can make on our behalf, given the fact that this person can be a lawmaker, I would ask each of you, and I would yield time to each of you, whether you would have any objection,