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legally in Nebraska, through the services of a licensed tattooist, could they?

SENATOR STUHR: Not in Nebraska.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So who is so arrogant as to have made this decision that below the age of 18 no tattoo or body art can be provided?

SENATOR STUHR: That will be for the body to decide. But I do want you to know that I have just submitted an amendment to remove Sections 11 and 12 of the amendment that I have, so that we would be addressing only adding the member...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time is up, Senator.

SENATOR STUHR: ...to the Cosmetology Board. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You may continue, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, now that this has been brought to my attention, even if Senator Stuhr attempts to remove the sections, one of which would deal with what I'm talking about on this age, then I'm going to offer that as an amendment of my own. We're on Select File. The only opportunity to do anything about this at all is now. If this amendment had been offered on General File, there could have been some additional discussion, and we could do as we always say, we'll work on that between now and Select File. But I'm going to...I want to ask Senator Stuhr a question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Stuhr, would you...?

SENATOR STUHR: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Stuhr, I want to do something about that age requirement. If you pull your amendment, the portion of it that relates to the age, then I'm going to offer amendments to LB 382 to make sure it doesn't go anywhere until I have the opportunity to draft my amendment to do something about