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prohibits minors from frequenting bars. And the second is to allow the proprietor of a place that leases or rents an entire room or hall for a private social function to make the decision on whether smoking is allowed in the entire area.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Thompson. Open for discussion on AM1179. There are no...Senator Bourne, your light came on.

SENATOR BOURNE: Thank you, Mr. President and members. Senator Thompson, if you would yield to a question or two?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Thompson, would you a question of Senator Bourne?

SENATOR THOMPSON: Yes.

SENATOR BOURNE: Could this...this amendment goes to lines 22 through 26 on the committee, page 2.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Correct.

SENATOR BOURNE: Why...can I ask why we didn't just say, strike the...or reinstate the stricken language? How is this different...how is your amendment different than...excuse me, the language that was in the original version of the committee amendment?

SENATOR THOMPSON: Under the original version, it says: This section does not apply in cases in which the entire room or hall is used for a private social function and seating arrangements are under the control of the sponsor of the function and not of the proprietor or the person in charge of the hall.

SENATOR BOURNE: So again, what...

SENATOR THOMPSON: So the difference is it allows the proprietor to make that decision.

SENATOR BOURNE: Oh, I see. Where the original, the committee amendment...or excuse me, the original language of 71-5707 would