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requirement. Everybody should have that clearly in mind, if we can put it there. Would you agree?

SENATOR SMITH: I'm sorry. I didn't (inaudible).

SENATOR CHAMBERS: That they're independent of each other. The glasses component is separate from the helmet component. You can be guilty of one without being guilty of the other, or you can be guilty of both.

SENATOR SMITH: That is correct.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. That's all I will ask you. Thank you. Members of the Legislature, if I wanted to beat this law, I could just wear eyeglass frames. And do you think a cop is going to stop everybody who's got eyeglass frames on his or her face, is going to stop to see if there are glass...there's glass in the frames? It won't make any difference. It creates a lot of opportunities to play cat and mouse, to mock the law, and to mock law enforcement. Which may not be a bad thing, all things considered. But when you're behaving as a responsible lawmaker, it could create some problems. When a law such as this one, if it becomes law, is in place, then you have contempt created for all the law. Now, brothers and sisters, friends, enemies, and neutrals, I'm going to shift into another gear. I'm going to...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...gear it down and slide on in, not...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...to the old home filler-up and keep on truckin' cafe, but into politics. I can just see Governor Heineman running against Tom Osborne. And he signed a piece of trash like this. I want this to get to his desk, and I want to see what "General" Heineman is going to do. Why do I say "General"? He's the commander in chief. He's got to have an eye to his campaign. You're going to send something as nonsensical as this over there? Now, he can say, the senators are foolish, the senators are silly, the senators are