## TRANSCRIPT PREPARED BY THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE Transcriber's Office FLOOR DEBATE

April 27, 2005 LB 117

as the rest of the states. So that's one thing we're concerned about, one thing we're looking at. Also, Senator Chambers had some comments about what the logbook does, and he's absolutely correct as far as some of the discussion about the logbook. It was twofold. Number one, there was a paranoia aspect. We've been told that, you know, the addicts are very paranoid and wouldn't want to go up, sign their name. But the other way, the other reason for it was a method for law enforcement to track who's buying this stuff. So it's twofold. It's twofold in that interpretation and I feel that is a step, but I would like to go a lot further with it and have a centralized database that law enforcement had automatic access to. Thank you for that and, with the time remaining, I had promised Senator Chambers earlier the rest of my time. If he still wants it and is available, he may have it.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Is Senator...yes, he is. Senator Chambers, about...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: ...2, 50.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: How much time would I have, Mr. President?

SENATOR CUDABACK: About 2, 52, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Senator Aguilar, thank you very much. There are other issues that I'm kind of working on, too, so even if I'm not right here, I'm somewhere in the vicinity, lurking, looming, and skulking on occasion even. This bill is an attempt to do something of value. I didn't get to hear everything Senator Stuthman said, but he had mentioned something about this is lucrative. I guess he meant selling this particular product, so I won't try to address that, and my failure to do so doesn't mean I agree with him. I just didn't hear all that he said. But this is what I want to talk about, scheduling this drug. Sudafed is not addictive. Nobody has alleged that. Sudafed is not currently one of those drugs that requires a prescription. There are many, many people who rely on it. There are other cold medications which will not work for