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And I thought Senator Brown brought up a very exciting idea, the possibility of a swipe system, an electronic...a direct electronic transfer of the information to a central database, where sales could be compared in a real time basis. You know, I suspect we're not thinking big enough here, and we're neither fish nor fowl. We don't have a truly...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...effective bill. But we haven't moved ahead, either. And so I'm hoping, by Select File, and with some discussion, that there can be a definite program for the future which identifies some kind of electronic system that minimizes the burden on retailers, minimizes the burden on manufacturers, minimizes the burden on consumers, and yet gets effective information to law enforcement, in a way that a modern society can do these days. We just need to make use of what technologies can do, and get the job done. So with that, Senator Cudaback, I would withdraw this amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: AM1181 is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk, anything else on FA192?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, there is nothing further pending to that floor amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Back to discussion of FA192 itself. Seeing no lights on, Senator Bourne, you're recognized to close on that portion of the divided committee amendment.

SENATOR BOURNE: Thank you, Mr. President. Recognizing that my time is running, I'd like to ask for a call of the house, please.

SENATOR CUDABACK: There's been a request for a call of the house. All in favor vote aye; those opposed, nay. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 15 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Mr. President.