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they can make it and keep their children safe, they think. And then the child starts to doing things that the parent doesn't like. Then the child is unruly, the parents cannot control them. So they run down to the Legislature and say, pass a bill so the state can come in my house and rear my child for me. I don't...the child is not going to commit a crime, so you got to create some kind of way where you can say, the child has not created a crime, but the status is wrong, so lock them up for that. Status offenses were not for poor people and black people. Those were for white people who couldn't manage their children, and they wanted somebody to do it for them. They have guns around the house, so the kids get the guns and shoot the parents. This happens all over the country. And that problem is not going to be addressed. It's so much easier to talk about meth labs and all these other things.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But you're not going to shut down a meth lab with this bill. Go hire some snitches, and that will not solve the problem. But you'll find more of these meth labs than with these cops running around here with magnifying glasses, playing like they're Sherlock Holmes. The only thing that would stand in the way of what Senator Combs mentioned and what they do in Oklahoma is that document that I've spoken so highly of but which you all have no regard for, and that's the state constitution. The constitution determines what bail is for and which offenses are not bailable. But you all shred the constitution to put hunting, trapping, and fishing; disregard it for this, too. What difference does it make to you? It doesn't mean anything to you. So just do that, too, and then tell the public, not only did we stop meth; we got rid of that constitution, too. Don't mean...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...nothing, anyway. Thank you, Madam President.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Your light is next, so you are recognized to speak. Senator Chambers.