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that you might ascribe to an ordinary person who does tend to become distractive...distracted, maybe inattentive, due to the pressure and the pressing in of other matters. A corporation cannot make that claim. I think Senator Wehrbein's motion was entitled to a vote, and that's why I'm going to offer it. you may see a distinction, as Senator Wehrbein pointed out to you, between the circumstances involving the Ponderosa Ranch and these other two that were the subjects of his amendment, so before you is my amendment, which on the appropriate page would strike the appropriate lines. I believe if you look on your gadget you'll probably see where that is, but for the record I will state it. On page 2, strike lines...let me look. that's the Wehrbein amendment because that's the one that I want The one that we're considering now will be, on page 2, strike lines 20 through 23. What I'm going to do, so that we can get to the Wehrbein amendment, and that's the one that I wanted to vote on, Mr. Clerk, I would like to pull the amendment that I'm discussing now and refile it after FA...I'll give the I'd like to withdraw FA223 at this time and number...224. refile it after FA224.

SENATOR CUDABACK: So ordered.

CLERK: Senator Chambers would move to amend with FA224. (Legislative Journal page 1377.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, to open.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I'm so unaccustomed to hearing the Clerk speak with his froggy voice, I thought we had fallen into The Exorcist (laugh) for a minute; then I remembered. As Senator Bourne said, he probably could use some Sudafed, but because of what we have been discussing, if he went for it...people think that when a bill passes first round that it is passed, so here's what they would say. They'd call a cop. They'd say, this guy (laugh) came in here with this...he got this scratchy voice and looks kind of scruffy and rough; he's got a beard, got long hair, and he drives a Cadillac. And the cop would say, that's probable cause. They'd put out an "all-PB" and the next thing we know the Clerk of the Legislature has fallen into the clutches of the law. Anyway, since the