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But they want to come and seek our aid when they need numbers. One of the worst outfits is in Omaha, because Terry Moore is a He is so close and tied in with part of it, a sellout. management that I didn't know he was still supposedly the head of the union operation in Omaha. But be that as it may, either collective bargaining agreements mean something or they don't. If we do this, then I believe any time there's any collective bargaining agreement entered into, there should be a proviso: unless the state decides to change any or all portions of it prior to the next negotiating session. But to come in the middle of the game and select a group and say that because their circumstances are worthy of consideration therefore collective bargaining process, the collective bargaining agreement, ought to be trumped, is not wise policy. What Senator Pahls is doing is not corrupt, and I don't want to give that impression. But I've had groups come to me to try to get me to do, not exactly this, but similar things. I just tell them no. We don't have to do everything that people bring to us to do. My good friend -- I think she might... she is now; she might still be--Senator Abbie Cornett has a group who are not a part of a collective bargaining unit, but who want some special consideration, that I'm bound and determined not to see happen through this Legislature. So I don't play favorites. And Senator Pahls, as much as I identify with you because you wear a beard...you look very distinguished in it, almost to the extent that I do, so there's kind of an affinity here. But to be quite frank, I just like Abbie better than I like you. But even with that, I've got to oppose what she's bringing, because I don't agree with that idea and that approach as a policy for the state. So I am not going to ...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...support advancing the money bill. And when we get to the bill itself on Select File, I'm not going to support the bill. If I were not active in so many other issues, I may have been able, when that bill came up, to do something on it. But I can't do everything around here. I'm not going to try to do everything around here. But we have three stages of debate. So what might slip through the first and the second can be caught on the third. I would like to catch this one on the