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was a question. It was a question of how we deal with persons in their sexual activity. That's quite another matter. I call upon us to look at this in a clear way, recognizing it as a parallel to race, and deal with it and move on, please. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Kruse. (Visitors introduced.) Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes, thank you, Mr. President and members. I actually turned my light on to give Senator Chambers some time, and he was busy over there. I see he's back now and I'll give him the rest of my time in a minute. But I would like to personally thank Senator Kruse for always being so thoughtful. I know that Senator Kruse must have been a very successful and caring minister because of the way he's able to frame these kinds of personal issues that we have to address from time to time in the Legislature. So, Senator Kruse, I heard you. I think basically what you're saying is we are all God's children and we need to be accorded a basic decency wherever we go. With that, Senator Chambers, I would be happy to give you the rest of my time.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Schimek. Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the Legislature, I've had discussions with the Speaker. I'm now back where I was when I first came here this morning. I believe that Senator Jensen and I have arrived at an understanding, so that part, in terms of my thinking that he had engineered this complicated maneuver, I should have known that as a homebuilder he doesn't deal in anything quite that complex, but it has been worked out, explained. And Senator Kruse even told me the role that he had played in this thing, that he had not consulted with Senator Jensen. So it wound up being a confluence of events that resulted in a situation that I interpreted the way that I did, and I'm going to act on the basis of what my understanding is. When I said I'm back to where I was when I first came here this morning, I had told the Speaker that this amendment that we're discussing now is the one that I intend to try to persuade the