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opposition to the Landis amendment, and I think back about my first year in the Legislature when Senator Chambers made a motion to kill a bill that was actually an empty bill, but he used the phrase, I don't want there to be any mischief relating to the bill of what might happen down the process. And I know that this is not the deal that Senator Landis and Chambers had with exchanging some contents of a bill and mixing and matching and maybe doing mischievous things with, Senator Chambers. Nonetheless, I wish that we could have a clause relating to nondiscrimination based on relevance to a job. But to try to pick here and try to pick there I think is troublesome. And, you know, I think back when I was growing up, and kids are mean. Kids are a lot meaner than adults oftentimes, but there are mean adults, too, in addition to Senator Chambers. But where do you draw the line of government involvement? How far should the government go? I know we've seen bullying bills. I would love to pass legislation that makes people be nice. That's not possible. That's not practical. And I hope that we can stick to the budget at hand, advance LB 427 without AM1582. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Mines.

SENATOR MINES: Question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do see five hands. The question before the body is, shall debate cease on the Landis amendment, AM1582? All in favor vote aye; those opposed vote nay. We're voting on ceasing debate on AM1582, offered by Senator Landis to LB 427. Have you all voted who care to? Voting on ceasing debate. Have you all voted? Have you all voted who care to? Senator Mines, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MINES: Call the house, Mr. President.

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

CLERK: 24 ayes, 4 nays to place the house under call,