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because she's been talking to others and people have been talking to her about this, I will not agree to any administrative official issuing a firearms permit to anybody. I don't know whether the Secretary of State issues gun permits to these so-called private detectives or not. I don't know if polygraphers carry pistols. I don't know if any of the entities, professions, trades, or whatever, which are licensed and regulated through the Secretary of State's Office, would be gun carriers. But I will not support this legislation, no matter how well it may be drafted, if the Secretary of State is going to issue gun permits. Consider what the Secretary of State's Office is about. We were talking about it briefly over here under the balcony. You file documents, issue these incorporation papers, and things that truly are administrative in nature. But to start handling substantive issues such as setting up training, education programs, then issuing gun permits,...

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...that is going way too far. It is changing the nature of the Secretary of State's Office. It is assigning duties which, from my position, have nothing to do with the core functions of the Secretary of State. So somebody else is going to have to issue those gun permits. Maybe that ought to be something done by the State Patrol. They're going to be involved in the fingerprinting, they're going to be involved in background checks, so let them do something else. And since they're so willing to get involved in everything, they probably have too much time on their hands and not enough on their mind. These agencies are very willing to do certain things when money is going to be derived from it. I don't think this bill would be much in the way of a moneymaker for the State Patrol. And I do believe that the issuance...

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Time, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...of gun permits would fall more within their bailiwick than that of the Secretary of State. Thank you, Mr. President.