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SENATOR CHAMBERS: I would give whatever time I have back to Senator Wehrbein, if he wanted anything to say.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you. Further discussion? Senator Kruse. Senator Kruse waives his time. Senator Schimek, did...wish to say...Schimek waives her time. Senator Chambers, we're back to you to close on your reconsideration motion.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Right. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I will have plenty of time, when the next amendment is offered, to do my favorite thing: talk, talk, talk. And that's what I'm going to do, because there is method to this apparent madness. In addition to what Senator Schrock and I may be able to work out, the rest of my colleagues need to know that I'm not going to yield and give up anything. Before Senator Schrock offered this amendment that we're talking about now, not mine, I had settled in my mind that this bill was going to be allowed to go ahead, because we had talked about things, and there had been agreements reached. But he injected a new element with his amendment which was going to mandate the granting of that permit, which is a part I agree with, but it carried with it that automatic increase in the number of critters, which I didn't agree with, and don't agree with now. And maybe 400 will not be a satisfactory number, and maybe it will. But in any case, I'm going to take as much time on any issue as I need to take, and nobody except me will make that determination for me. Others will not let me determine whether or not they're going to speak or for how long. And they need to know that they are not going to determine anything for me. But to show how I can work with people, Senator Louden and I almost came to blows last year over the prairie dogs. That's an overstatement, but he allows me to say that. Then I worked with him on his cemetery bill, a bill I didn't even like. But he brought something that had validity, and when it looked like the body was going for it, then I offered an amendment to open that whole thing up to other counties. That's the way I can operate. But I will change a position when I think that I should and when I'm convinced that that's what I ought to do. Although I jest on occasion about the Speaker bludgeoning me into certain things, it's not really bludgeoning. And if I were just going to be as mean all the time as people think that I am, the