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you end up with 31 votes. Isn't that fascinating? I'm not chastising this Legislature. I'm mad at myself because when this conversation was going on yesterday, I knew what was going on. I probably could have taken the floor and I probably could have burned a hole in this wall and said I know exactly what's happening. I think this guy and anybody else didn't really even feel like they had to bring it up. I can't speak for him. I'm speaking for myself. I'd like to ban abortion in this state. That might be intellectually dishonest...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time, Senator Friend. Thank you. Senator Thompson, and this will be your third time, Senator, followed by Senator Erdman.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Thank you. I just want to say a few words and then Senator Chambers would like a little bit of my time. You know, we need to really come back to the overall issue here which is women's health and the health of girls and where people go in communities who don't have the resources to get medical care, where they feel comfortable going for medical advice on reproductive health and getting that information. And when they don't--and all of you budget hawks, I've sat on the Appropriations Committee for many years now--when they don't...when they're poor, when they don't get their healthcare, when they have unwanted pregnancies, we see all sorts of things that impact us budgetarily. But it really needs to come back to women's health and what the best ways are to provide this sexually transmitted disease testing and cancer testing for where women come. And we should be making sure the providers can be there for those women and also make sure that we're expanding that. And that's what this needs to be about. Let's sort that out. Let's get that straightened out. Let's amend it and get it straightened out because that isn't what we wanted to have happen. And with that, I'll yield my time to Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, Senator Friend made a long stretch to help his friend back there in the peanut gallery. There is no parallel