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Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Flood. Senator Stuthman.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: 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 amendment FA624? All in favor vote aye; opposed vote nay. We're voting on ceasing debate. The question before the body is, shall debate cease on the Chambers amendment, FA624? Have you all voted who care to? Have you all voted? Have you all voted who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Debate does cease. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close on your amendment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, we know, at least I do, we're in a war of wills. So I don't expect my amendment to be adopted. I expect that you want to see whether I can hold out as long as I said I would. So it doesn't really matter what is discussed. So after I lose this vote, I have a motion already drafted to reconsider. And I've got three other motions, or amendments, up there, and I'm going to take every one of them, I'm going to put additional motions up there, and we'll just see what happens. And I understand, as people have told me, there is a lot of discussion going on, and people trying to do this and people trying to do that, and threatening to do one thing or the other. And I'll just have to wait around here and see what happens, and you'll have to lay around here and see what happens as far as what I say I'm going to do. Senator Flood and all these other people speaking for this amendment of Senator Pederson, which amendment should not be before us, it should not even be out here, talk about the great work being done by these sheriffs and the State Patrol. I don't have enough time during this five-minute closing to talk about how the State Patrol, sheriffs, and local police combined to try to circumvent the Nebraska Constitution.