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of practice. One thing that does concern me, and I was never comfortable last year with the letter that was given by Senator Schmit, but I don't know whether, you know, what they had agreed upon a year ago, yes, we have to keep that in mind, but, you know, has anything changed in that one year? That's a concern of mine, and we're kind of leaning on that letter and taking that under consideration. That is a concern of mine. I know they have...the chiropractors have come, you know, at the eleventh hour, in opposition of this, and I respect them for that. But I am concerned that it is a kind of a change of mind, but I don't know whether that was the realistic direction that all the chiropractors wanted to go with. So I'm concerned with that, and I just stand in support of Senator Smith's amendment. Thank you.

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

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature. Listening to Senator Jensen deliver his amendment, I got to thinking about it. He said, you know, the physical therapists have at least three years of training. The last time I checked, I believe a chiropractor has close to seven years of training. Now you can do what you want to on this amendment, but personally, myself, I would rather go to someone who has been trained for six or seven years, or whatever it is, in the field of manipulation, than someone who has had three years of training as a physical therapist. There is a place for both of them, but I believe that we are going a little too far with the physical therapists right now, and I can understand why the chiropractors are upset with this. If I had my druthers, I know which one I'd go to. I'd go to the chiropractor who has had years and years of training. With that, I am going to support Senator Smith's amendment, because I believe we're going down a road here and allowing people to do something that they're not trained to do, when it comes to manipulating joints and so on and so forth. Senator Jensen said that he had the physical therapist work on his knee, stretch those muscles out, got that knee back into good condition. That's what they're trained to do. But when you start messing with someone's spine and joints, I think that's a different situation. Thank you.