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times aren't bad, because it's convenient, because they're sitting there. Those educational programs that educate about the environment, about recycling, about things that would never be funded otherwise, are very important to come from this fund. Without some protections there for it, it would be just like the situation of the State Fair; it would be in jeopardy. People in this body, particularly rural senators, and others, supported putting in the constitution the State Fair. I think our environment is equally important, and perhaps more so. With a bad quality of environment, certainly the State Fair is affected. I think we should do the same protection, and I think Senator Chambers' amendment is one way of doing it. There are opportunities to do other things at a later time, but this is one opportunity we have to honor our commitments in the past to the voters, and I, for one, am going to honor and respect that commitment and be true to the voters who voted for the lottery in the first place. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Preister. Senator Chambers, there are no further lights on. You're recognized to close on AM3045. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I get more attention around here when I say nothing than when I speak. I just wanted to put it to the test, and it worked. What I intend to do, whenever we get to that monstrosity that was advanced by the Education Committee, is reissue some handouts that I presented several years ago about the injustices worked against poor black children, poor white children, and all nonwhite children in the Omaha Public School System, but which nobody took seriously and nobody read. When I show you this handout, where the present superintendent of schools in Omaha tricked the Omaha School Board into giving him a bigger salary to renew a contract, he had taken a contract in Minneapolis, but he let people know that if you offer me enough money, I'll come back. So he broke a contract in Minneapolis. So the front of this handout said: sordid--and it was with reference to LB 305 in 2001--sordid, tawdry little tale of an unscrupulous cad's scheming deception, misrepresentation, outright lying, and contract-breaking; truly a, quote, man of values. And it's all documented from newspaper articles that pointed that out. The second one: OPS' empty