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way to do this. But let's assume that Senator Chambers and Senator Raikes are correct. Say this is constitutional? Does that make it...that make it right? Senator Chambers argues that the inner city districts in Omaha don't have proper supplies. Could that be true? Absolutely. Absolutely it could be true. I do know that the teachers, the more inexperienced teachers, go to the inner city because of seniority, so is it true? It could very well be. And if that's the case, that is absolutely wrong. If those schools aren't supplied or funded, that is absolutely wrong and shame on OPS if that's true. But the way to fix it, in my opinion, is to not separate out a black district. It's to resolve the problem. If they need more experienced teachers, let's work at doing that. If they need supplies, if they have inadequate funding, let's fix it. But I don't believe the way to fix a funding inadequacy, and it is extremely important, if that...if those schools are not adequately funded, adequately staffed, it is paramount that we remedy that, but I don't believe we remedy it by carving up the largest school district in the state. I've said this before, we did not have a hearing on this bill. That is tantamount to our process. I will be very honest with you, I relied on Senator Raikes, I trusted him and I voted this bill out of committee. If I had any inkling that this amendment was even being thought about at the time we had the debates in the committee room, I would not have voted to bring the bill out. And I'm not saying Senator Raikes knew about it. And he did give me advance notice, about 12 hours notice that this was coming. I suppose I'm...well, I know I'm standing here today wishing that I had been a more vehement opponent on General...on Thursday when we debated it. I got up and spoke several times. I should have done the reconsideration motion. I should have filibustered. It never occurred to me for one second that we would, as a Legislature, take this tact. I suppose I'm remiss in that I wasn't more diligent and fired up and animated to try to stop it. But even if we have a funding inadequacy, this is not the way to solve the problem. And again, I want to go back, we did...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR BOURNE: ...not have a hearing on this concept. Senator Raikes has never said we've had a hearing on this concept.