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need to step back and go through the bill section by section so that we understand fully and completely the potential ramifications of what we're doing. Again, many of the parts of this bill have never been subject to a public hearing. And this is a 158-page amendment, and I believe it is incumbent upon us as public policymakers of the state of Nebraska to be deliberate in our decision making. And I'd request that we overrule the Chair and that we go through this bill like we should, section by section. Thank you, Senator Cudaback.

SENATOR CUDABACK: As members know, each member gets to speak one time if they wish to. Then the speaker who (inaudibble) overrule the Chair gets to close. We yield no time. There are many lights on so I'll go through the lights if you wish to address the motion to overrule the Chair. Senator Chambers, your light is first.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I object to the motion. I oppose the motion to overrule the Chair. I'd like to ask Senator Synowiecki a question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Synowiecki.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Synowiecki, are you aware that a very lengthy committee amendment was presented to us when we began to debate this bill?

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: The original underlying amendment, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Did you understand everything in that amendment?

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Not completely. I'm not a member of the committee, not completely.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You could have asked for a division of that question when the committee amendment was before us. Is that true?