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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Lindsay, are you...

SENATOR LINDSAY: I'm absolutely serious about that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well, see, I don't know what form the bill is in now, but if others will carry on the discussion I'd like to talk to Senator Lindsay.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Rasmussen, you're next.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Madam President, members of the body, I've...I'm...Senator Chambers didn't ask me this question. Senator Lindsay didn't ask me this question, but I want to go on record saying I would vote not only for Bohlke's amendment, but if it becomes the legislation I would support it and I want to make that very clear that...that I do support, and that is genuine, I do support getting good information to women and getting it to them as soon as possible. I wanted to respond to a couple of things. I find it interesting that, on one hand, folks say, gosh, getting this information out to people is so terribly important, but we really don't want to spend too much time on it, we don't want to spend too much money on it, we don't want anybody to have to put too much energy into it. I'm sorry, I totally disagree with that. I do want people to put time into this. I do want people to put energy into this and I want to make sure they do what is right in terms of correct information. I am not asking the Department of Health to deliver biased information. I think for their own protection they ought to solicit consultation from the medical professions who have expertise who can ensure not only them but us and the general public that we are getting accurate information to people. So I...I find it amazing that those who have initiated this legislation, who have supported this legislation on the premise of getting good information to women would now complain if they think it means someone of the departments is going to have to spend a little extra time in getting it done. I would also remind you that, yes, we are offering a brand new, not totally new, but a new bill here, but that was done on General File too. A totally new bill was brought in separate from what was introduced in the committee, separate from what the Executive Committee voted...not the Executive Committee but what the committee itself voted on in terms of amendments. So we are