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interest in the bill except that we are trying to help agriculture. Because we know that we in the city if Scottsbluff is a city can not exist without the welfare of those particularly those who feed livestock. Now this is probably one of the most important bills that we will ever have. Only in so far as the effect on livestock and the only means that this state has, the only means that this state has in order to attempt to do something materially and effective in order to stop this slaughter of those people unfortunately who are feeding livestock. Now this bill is going to cost some money. This bill will have to have somewhere between 200 and 250 thousand dollars because you have got to have qualified people who understand the problem of anti-trust. So if you bring this bill onto the floor, I hope you will just remember that there will be an "A" bill that is going to cost \$250,000 because without the money and without the staff, and without the desire we are not going to be any better off than we are now

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Now I would like to have those people who are directly effected, Senator Kremer gave me an astonishment or an astounding piece of information just a few minutes ago which he can speak for himself, but this state is in trouble in the area of livestock and this is the only body which any relief can be given too, and if we don't give it to them, they won't get it.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: I would lie....

PRESIDENT: Just a moment sir, please turn your lights off because here is the order I have you in. Senator Kremer, Burbach, Murphy, R. Lewis, Proud and Carstens, and Keyes. Will all of those Senators turn their lights off. Then we will follow Rasmussen that will be it. That is all the white lights up here at this time. Will you turn..turn your lights off, we don't need them.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I would like to speak in support of SENator Luedtke's efforts to put LB1028 ahead of General File. I can attempt to give you three reasons why I feel so strong about this. Today we find ourselves in a most unfortunate situation. The situation of course cam about by numerous reasons. I think that all of us would have to agree that there are certain people that always take advantage of a situation, and will profit. The thing that is happening, because of our energy crisis today just relates itself to many other things, it is unfortunate again we find business people that are in the business of marketing fuels, filling stations and they are closing up today. We are aware of this and I would like to speak primarily about what is happening to our livestock industry. Senator Carpenter indicated that this is actually the foundation of the economic situation in Nebraska and truly it is. Nebraska like some of the mid-western states has been expanding in the livestock programs because we do have the state that can engage in this business and make Nebraska what it ought to be. Recent