

prohibits. Senator Chambers' prohibits an individual from distributing written material about the use of a firearm with the intent to have that information unlawfully employed in furtherance of a civil disorder. So, in other words, it would prohibit someone in New York State from mailing some literature into Nebraska, intending in his own mind that that literature be used to create a civil disorder. Now, that creates, in my view, some very basic constitutional questions. Even if it doesn't create very basic constitutional questions, it extends the scope of the bill far, far beyond what the sponsors are intending. I think it is a clever amendment in that it highlights points Senator Chambers is trying to make. It would be a disaster to the bill, in my opinion, for this amendment to be adopted. I would urge its rejection.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Chambers, would you like to close, please? Will this be considered your closing?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, that's fine.

SPEAKER NICHOL: All right, thank you.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, I am glad that Senator Hoagland made the comments he made about the constitutional problems that develop when you try to restrict written material, what may be written. But he is not concerned about restricting that which may be spoken. The speech that they want to make criminal right now has nothing to do and need not have anything to do with any unlawful act. There is no connection, or as the law refers to it, no nexus between the speech and any unlawful act. If the speech itself is protected, then the mere intent and nothing more is not enough to remove it from that constitutional protection. They are trying to make speech pure and simple a Class IV felony. There is no need that when this teaching is occurring that there be an incitement to any unlawful act. There is no need that the hearers do anything based on the words. There is no need that there is any likelihood that a person will do anything based on the words. There is no need that those who listen even be capable of putting into operation the words. The information doesn't have to be reasonable and there are groups who believe that the weather has been changed through certain electoral magnetic activities and some of the changes that occur are