

estate and I'd really appreciate it, Senator Wesely, if you'd use your influence with Walt Radcliffe and say, Marge has been a good girl. She voted for my amendments and she is voting for the advancement of LB 29. Why don't you reward her because that's the way the game is played here. We vote the way we are told by a lobbyist. Course, the only one that ever says that is Senator Chambers and whoever pays attention to Senator Chambers. We all know he doesn't know what he is talking about, but I am voting for the bill because I believe in it and I made up my mind long before the word was given that the 50th senator of the Legislature said we could. Senator Wesely, I have a question. In the letter you wrote dated November 7 to "Dear Colleagues" you stated, "Mr. Radcliffe has agreed to allow the bill to advance to Select File with the understanding that I will meet with the CPAs to work out their concern." Just exactly what the hell does that mean? I mean it, sincerely. What do you mean by that, Radcliffe has said he will allow the bill to advance? I think there is a lot of senators would like to know.

SENATOR WESELY: In response...I'm not nearly as loud as Senator Higgins. Is this thing on? Okay. Senator Higgins...

SENATOR HIGGINS: Pretty soon your voice will change.

SENATOR WESELY: Yes, I got it back here and it's working fine. Mr. Radcliffe had concerns. We met this morning. What he was saying is, you know, he won't object to the advancement of the bill because of those concerns and we would discuss them on Select File and we got those taken care of this morning and so that's what we were trying to say.

SENATOR HIGGINS: Well, that isn't what the letter says. It says he has agreed to allow, allow, allow, allow the bill to advance. Does that mean that he has got some control in this body? Has he got the six-shooter out there that...is that why we have security guards and if we don't vote the right way we're going to get shot down? I mean what truthfully did that mean, for the benefit of the people listening? Mr. Radcliffe has agreed to allow this bill to advance. There's got to be a better explanation than we're going to work this out, especially when I understand he was gloating over it last night at the Nebraska Club.