

"Repelican" women, even "Repelican" women woke up and said, hey, you suckers aren't going to do this to us. We believe we have a right to choice and they said, oh, what has befallen us, so Bush then began to backslide when the "Repelican" women began to speak. In this Legislature, women are now here who speak for the interest of women and they are not dictated to and buffaloeed and bulldozed into positions of sheer stupidity by those who would use them. And it's time that women were here who speak from the position of woman, for the welfare of women. Senator Nelson said women are being punished for being pregnant, no. They...

SPEAKER BAACK: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...are being punished for being women. There is a basic, underlying disrespect and hatred for women in legislation of this kind and I also will turn on my light to continue.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Labeledz, you're next.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senator Chambers, this may shock you, but I haven't done what I have done for 16 years. I haven't even done it for God. I did it for the unborn child and I might add the Blessed Mother, and you might have something to say about that, too. It's a shame. Some day I'll talk to you about that. Anyway, I feel very strongly about LB 78 and Senator Bernard-Stevens was over at my desk a few minutes ago and I told him right to his face that I think that Governor Clinton and Governor Brown could use him in their campaigns because he had so many predictions and they...this is going to lose, this is going to win and this is not going to happen and so forth. I think they would appreciate some of his information or some of his expertise. I am very concerned about the fact that we don't consider at all the right of a woman to know and have all the information necessary on what she is going to go through. As far as I'm concerned, abortion is a surgical procedure. I have been involved in the last maybe 18 months in several surgical procedures at hospitals involving my own family in heart operations, lungs, bone cancer and so forth. I can tell you on bone cancer sometimes the counseling on that is whether or not you should go through with the procedure, not only lasts maybe 10 minutes, it goes on for three hours or more. They have a right to know what the consequences are