

full, the lips are full and what do you think happens when this white Christian couple looks at this child? They don't want it. They didn't agree to have a black child. The product does not meet the standards we set so we don't want it, and in a country like America that could easily happen. See, Johnny Carson is having a problem now because his son was staying with a lady who is a member of my, what they call race, and they had a baby and it's the only grandchild Johnny Carson has, but Johnny Carson is not interested in seeing the child because the child is black. So there are a lot of other side issues that come into this and they need to be considered because they are not out of the question in terms of occurring. To try to get exactly on point now, these arrangements ought not be enforceable by the courts of this state. And all this bill does is say that the courts will not enforce them. This bill does not prohibit them. It does not do anything.

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And if there is one of these arrangements that people won't try to enforce in the courts, and the purchasers decide to back out for any reason, the child will not be left without some haven of refuge. All of the laws related to child support visitation and whatever will come into play and that scoundrel will have to assume the responsibility for what his promiscuousness created. If they have one of these arrangements and everybody is satisfied, it never comes to the attention of the courts or anybody else anyway. So I hope you will, first of all, adopt that amendment so that we remove the language that I mentioned, after the effective date of this act, and then I hope you will agree to advance the bill.

SENATOR HANNIBAL PRESIDING

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. On the Chambers amendment to 674, Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I wanted to rise to talk a little bit about the bill and ask Senator Chambers a couple of questions so I put my light on. Of course, Senator Chambers has got an amendment up which I would support, but I think I will take a bit of time and just simply ask some questions.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Would you respond, Senator Chambers?