

What Bernard-Stevens accomplishes through his amendment is just that. That is prohibited. Yeah, there has been some talk about the way the amendment is drafted in regard to requests for a birthdate in terms of mail-in certificates and things of that nature. All of you have seen in the newspaper or in magazines, whatever, requests for your birthdate on various types of things with regard to whether it be a sample of tobacco, whether it be a sample of alcohol, whether it be X-rated, R-rated material. In other words, when we deal with pornography, we will take one's word for it when they mail in that they are of age, but when we deal with smokeless tobacco or tobacco products, we are going to say that, no, that is not a fair and accurate justification, or fair and accurate identification for those people, that we are going to require a more stringent examination, a more stringent test for those people to pass in order to make them eligible to receive that, and I don't think that makes any sense at all. Well, we are outlawing everything this year. We are outlawing the alcohol, tobacco. Senator Chizek through his bill would outlaw necking in the park, and we laid that one over, but...

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING.

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR HALL: ...LB 138 would have, I think, outlawed that if I read it correctly. Now, Senator Arlene Nelson, I have...well, necking, I guess I am showing my age even though I am accused of being young. Senator Arlene Nelson, I have no...I don't care what happens to the rodeo to be honest with you. If they lose the \$10,000, that is fine. That is not an issue for me. The issue is, do you achieve what you intend to achieve through LB 48, and I don't think you do. You don't get the job done unless you adopt the Bernard-Stevens amendment, and that allows for a penalty to be there. It allows for possession to be, basically, an infraction and that is what we should do. We do it in the case of alcohol. We have heard testimony in just the last couple of days with how difficult it is, and you talk about how this is addictive. Yesterday in General Affairs, we heard about near beer and the problems that that has caused. So we put that back under the control of the Liquor Commission, where it belongs. We had inadvertently did that and it caused a problem.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time.