

paid some of that in?

SENATOR MOORE: A portion of it, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: How about those who pay income tax?

SENATOR MOORE: A portion of it, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And this that everybody is talking about with LB 84 would give tax relief to those who paid property tax?

SENATOR MOORE: LB 84, yes, it addresses property taxes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So those who would get the benefit of this bill are not the only ones who put that money in there that is being made available for this purpose?

SENATOR MOORE: In some instances, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Members of the Legislature, I have to ask Senator Lamb a question, and then...

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...I will make my comments when I get more time, because there is such a short time left. Senator Lamb, with the talk of one year or two years, no sales tax increase this year but put that off till next year, if this LB 84 is not a political maneuver, what is it? Isn't it governed primarily by political considerations?

SENATOR LAMB: (Response inaudible.)

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Could you wait until that is on the record, because I don't think they had you on.

SENATOR LAMB: Yes. Yes, Senator Chambers, for me, this is, I guess you might call it a crusade that I had four years ago that you may remember that I believe that in our tax structure we are placing too much reliance on property tax. So I'm just continuing that bill from four years ago.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Are you going to support Senator Bernard-Stevens' motion?