

SENATOR LAMB: No.

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SENATOR LAMB: Yes, it would, but...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, my time. Wouldn't it provide a funding...

PRESIDENT: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...mechanism?

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, but I don't know that it's necessary.

PRESIDENT: Time. Senator Haberman has an amendment, but before we start on that Senator Moore has some guests in the north balcony. We have 25 sixth grade students from Henderson Elementary School accompanied by their teacher and some sponsors. Will you ladies and gentlemen stand up, please, so we can welcome you. Play a little basketball out there, don't they? Yeah. Thank you for visiting us. Mr. Clerk, Senator Haberman's amendment to the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Haberman would move to amend the Senator Bernard-Stevens amendment by striking the half cent sales tax.

PRESIDENT: Senator Haberman, please.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Members of the body, you heard Senator Lamb, you heard Senator Moore say that they're afraid that the money won't be here. So I would like to give you a few examples of where the money is going that we could use to fund property tax relief. For example, construction, construction in one year raises \$21 million, that's in construction. So we pull that out for two years, so there is \$60 million for two years. Then we go up there for technical colleges, and they jump \$10 million, they jump \$10 million. So there is \$10 million, or half of that we could use to fund property tax relief to the people who are also providing property taxes to the technical colleges. Then we go up here to the economic development and we're going to spend \$5 million a year there. Then we go up here to the University of Nebraska, this is a biggie, this is a biggie. Now