

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...do you...see. They didn't...they weren't in on it, they thought we were doing something that we really weren't. Do you see what I'm saying about those who pay rent and sales tax and property tax not gaining any benefits from this bill at all? LB 84.

SENATOR CHIZEK: Yes, as far as renters go.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Does that trouble you?

SENATOR CHIZEK: Can I go on a little bit and just tell you that I'd had some calls from some people who own apartment complexes, when I originally had LB 747, and they had concern because they weren't included. I said, well, how about if we include you and put an amendment on that the rent will be reduced proportionately? Well, they didn't want to do that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Exactly, and that's the problem, so the renters are going to get it in the neck and the renters are people, too, and they are citizens, too. And by the way, Senator Chizek, you can't have any of my time. (Laughter.)

PRESIDENT: Time. Senator Withem, please.

SENATOR WITHEM: I would take my time to raise a point of order, the point of order being that the Haberman amendment, in effect, is a reconsideration of the Lamb motion for the one-year sunset. If the Haberman amendment is adopted, then the amendment is simply a reinstatement of the one-year sunset, and I think the proper form of action would be to rule this out of order, to vote up or down on the Bernard-Stevens amendment. And then, if Senator Haberman is so inclined, to either be in a position to file a reconsideration motion or find someone who is, that would be the course of action. But my point of order is that the Haberman amendment is, in effect, a reconsideration, because the effect will be to negate the effects of the previous Lamb amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Haberman, I'm going to rule you're out of order. Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, Mr. President, then, as I understand it, if an issue has been discussed before and either defeated or passed, and somebody puts up an amendment on that issue, and somebody then amends that amendment, and if it pertains to