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Annie, Gus and Mitch and I had left my pass at home, I, clearly, would pay to get in the door rather than accept the wrath of those three kids of mine and I would pay sales tax on that admission. That's correct.

SENATOR ELMER: Thank you, Senator Hall. I, like Senator Moore, had some misunderstandings about how this would work and given the clarifications and explanations I can certainly support this amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Warner, followed by Senator Abboud and Senator Langford. Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Well, the question that I was wondering about, I guess, was asked by Senator Smith but I have...I have a little difficulty in rationalizing why you would exempt the sales tax from the membership and yet require those who perhaps are unwilling or are perhaps unable to buy a daily ticket, charge them the tax. If anyone ought to be able to buy, it would be somebody who felt they could pay \$30 as opposed to the admission just to go in. In any event, it would seem to me the policy ought to be the same, whether you bought on a daily basis or if you bought the what in essence is a season ticket.

PRESIDENT: Senator Abboud, please, followed by Senator Langford. Senator Langford. The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. And the question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

PRESIDENT: Debate has ceased. Senator Lindsay, are you going to close?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Yes, I am. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Members, I would like to reemphasize just a couple of things here, questions that have come up, people come back and asked about. Number one, this is not in any manner intended as an end run or anything like that with the bill...or with the amendment. This did originate as LB 540. The language is the same. LB 540 is in your bill books and did have a