

the only two that are guaranteed that right right now, if we do nothing else legislatively or otherwise, would be the capital case and the one in which a constitutional issue is raised. Is that correct?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: That is correct, but you've got to add the rest of it, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No buts...okay then add the rest of it and by adding it, show me another offense which, without legislative action, is covered if we enact LR 8.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: You've hit on my exact point. Without legislative action, that right belongs to this body to make that determination, so you just can't say that we're going to cut them off because we're going to get to decide that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Kristensen, when you fail to answer the question it appears that you are vacillating because you have something to hide and I don't think you do. The truth is what we're after. I have named the two instances which, according to my reading, would entitle a person to go to the Supreme Court. That would be the capital case and one in which a constitutional issue is raised. Now that is pursuant to the language in this provision without the Legislature doing anything. I want you to name me another case or another offense contained in the language of LR 8 that is appealable to the Supreme Court as a matter of right without the Legislature doing anything. Would you...

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...name me that other one that exists in there right now?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Revenue cases, civil cases where the state is a party, election contests, mandamus, quo warranto cases, appeals from the Court of Industrial Relations are all cases by right that wouldn't be changed.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Ashford, may I ask you a question?

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Ashford, would you respond.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: According to your understanding of what LR 8