

thank you for your consideration in bringing this again before us. Yes, you can have black and white in the same area. You cannot charge two counts. You, the prosecutor, would pick one or the other. You can enhance the penalty only once and my legal counsel tells me that legislative intent would establish that, but also that could be an amendment on Select. Again, I ask you. Thirty-seven states have done this in their state. It has been effective. It is copacetic with selling drugs to minors and I ask your support in reconsidering and taking off Senator Landis's amendment.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: Thank you. Ladies and gentlemen, the question is the reconsideration of the Landis amendment to the Johnson amendment. All those in favor for reconsideration vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to reconsider.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: The amendment to the amendment will be reconsidered. May I introduce some guests, please, in the north balcony. They are guests of Senator Langford, Senator Lowell Johnson, and Senator Korshoj, and they are with the FirstTier Bank 55 and Better Club, Fremont, Blair and Kearney. There are about 60 members. Would you folks please stand and be recognized by your Legislature? Thank you for visiting us today. Senator Pirsch. Senator Pirsch. Senator Pirsch, may I have your attention a moment? We're on the Landis amendment and he is excused. Did you wish to take his amendment?

SENATOR PIRSCH: Oh my! I will try to be fair. Senator Landis's amendment would completely gut the original intent of LB 976. Senator Landis's amendment would also retain the Johnson amendment, which is...which has involved selling drugs to minors.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: Excuse me, Senator. Excuse me a minute.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Uh-huh.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Point of order. Is Senator Pirsch handling Senator Landis's amendment?