

we did. They felt better that we put this amendment in that said that that 3 percent additional that we offered in the bill to the other tracks and provided for a breakout of 1 percent to the breeders, 1 percent to the horseman, 1 percent to the tracks, would not any way affect what they have traditionally done with their 3 percent, which is all that went to the small tracks. They want to continue to do that. There was no change in LB 1055 to that effect. This language clarifies that for their benefit. And the third provision is on line 19 and 20, which is the issue that Senator Chambers raised dealing with aiding and abetting a minor who is making... placing a bet. The language, if you remember we debated it on General File, dealt with the issue of, and Senator Chambers correctly raised the point, that if someone were standing and watching a minor, had no association with them but saw them place a bet that the way the bill read they basically could be required to I guess raise the issue of that minor breaking the law and could be... or could be associated with that minor if they happened to witness it; even though they had no association, could be guilty of the penalty provision that it provided for. The language that I offer by striking "permit" and inserting "aids and abets" in making the... the placing the bet would clarify that language I think to his satisfaction with regard to a individual who would be helping a minor to place a bet. So there would have to be some active participation so the bystander could not be hit with the penalty provision. With that, Mr. President, I would move for the adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Discussion on the Hall amendment. Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Question of Senator Hall. Senator, on lines 11 and 12 we strike the words "laws of this state", insert "Nebraska Business Corporation Act."

SENATOR HALL: Yes.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Can you explain what that is? I'm sorry I missed it.

SENATOR HALL: Please? I'm sorry, Senator Schmit, I didn't hear you.