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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think that something is going to happen to make it different from all the other years and they're going to make money when they get this \$53,000 to parcel out among themselves?

SENATOR BOHLKE: I'm not sure.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: What do you think? You're an intelligent person, and I want your thinking on this.

SENATOR BOHLKE: I'm thinking, but I really don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: (Laugh.) Okay. You suspect, what do you suspect?

SENATOR BOHLKE: From thinking to suspect, I can't answer you.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, but if you felt pretty sure that they would make money, you would, frankly, tell me yes, you think they would make the money.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes, I would.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: The fact that you won't answer, indicates you think they probably won't make money, huh?

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR BOHLKE: No, it's...it's that I'm somewhere in between, I'm not sure.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Abboud. Senator Abboud. Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Madam President, members of the body, I would rise to support the Schellpeper amendment. I think this addresses an issue that we discussed earlier today. I think it's a reasonable thing to do, to essentially hold the quarter horse tracks harmless for a year. The General Affairs Committee can take a look at that section of the industry, see if it is as nonviable as some people think it is, or see if there is a good reason to attempt to stimulate it further. Beyond that, I think this is a good compromise, I would urge you to vote for it.