

or less than 50 percent, maybe 829 doesn't hold muster. Maybe the revenue raising portions of 829...I'm willing, if I was a betting man, if I wasn't such a good German Lutheran, if I was a betting man, I would bet you the revenue raising portion of 829 by itself is unconstitutional. And I think Senator Hall says no, and once again he and Schmit agree on that on at least. And that's even more scary, actually. But nevertheless, it's one of those things, do you...We were back, we were in special session, well I had to come back from my delayed honeymoon, in 1989, to come back for a special session to fix the property tax problem. Then on March 1 of this year the Supreme Court said it didn't work, as it had said in '86, and '87, and different ways. You know people in Nebraska, maybe they're not calling you, but they're saying to me, how long is this going to go on? How long is this charade of Band-Aids, and unknowns, and maybes, and possibilities, and all this stuff going on? And I think if you adopt the Schmit amendment you're certainly doing that, and you may accomplish absolutely nothing. But Schmit may be right, maybe that's the difference between, you know, the gambler that he is and the nongambler that I am. I don't want to take that gamble. I do not want to take that gamble. And I'm of the opinion that if you want to start from scratch, if you want to debate things, and things like that, we can do that, I think that's what we ought to do. And Senator Nelson says that we need to buy time. I totally concur with her. I think we're trying to find some ways to do that. But while you're buying time you shouldn't continue the risk, you should not continue the questions, you should not heap on that uncertainty to the taxpayers, to the local governments, and even the state government for that matter. I think 829, you know, once again if Senator Schmit, or Senator Hall, or Vard Johnson, or, you know, I don't know whoever could guarantee me it was going to work, I would certainly do it. Now does that mean that LR 1 is a guarantee? No. Does that mean that, you know, LB 6, in its present form, if you don't put everything back on, that would be a problem still. But I think 829, you add all those things up, is probably, when you look at the odds, and yes, I do go to the horse track, Senator Schmit, and I do gamble at that, I understand odds. You know the odds of 829 are certainly a lot longer than they are with some other things we're talking about. And as far as, you know, just going home and doing nothing, my concern doing nothing, and even if you do 829 you're more or less doing nothing, you go back and try and say you did something, but you really ought to admit you didn't do anything, because you didn't. I think you set up...You know, the court,