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create jobs that would bring people into your community who could afford to purchase something at your restaurant, and if that would happen, then anyone who had a desire to be in the restaurant business would probably start up a restaurant because they had the people there with jobs who could pay for the products in the restaurant.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Thank you, Senator Engel. And I will...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: ...continue that because you are dead wrong on why some of those restaurants wouldn't be there. It is not because they couldn't make it. It is because they had to do some type of major change within either OSHA or some of the other criteria, they didn't have the dollars or the personal investment. So rather than have to make the personal investment that they may not have been able to get back, they couldn't receive any help from the state. They asked for money of the state, the state said, I am sorry we can't help you on any of the stuff, and not only do we make them close, there was no one else to go into it, and even now when they have a chance to be helped, this bill says, I am sorry, you're too small, you're too poor, we don't care. And so that is the portion I am very... I am very concerned about, and also on retailers, and we will...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Time.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: ...get to that here in a minute. And at this point, I would like to withdraw the bracket motion.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The bracket motion is withdrawn. We return... Mr. Clerk, is there anything further on the bill?

CLERK: Well, Madam President, we are back to Senator Bernard-Stevens' amendment to Senator Engel's amendment.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Engel. Senator, your light was first.

SENATOR ENGEL: I am just going to let Senator Bernard-Stevens continue talking. I think he'll run out of air here before too long. The thing is, he is probably making some good points but I really don't think they have anything to do with this