

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Has anybody from DSS done it?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I assume someone in the executive branch has.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well, if they've done it, then why did they hire Maximus to do it? They're not supposed to know how to do this.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, you said to determine the accur...verify that that money would be available. You know, the other thing is, I could put the shoe back on your foot, can you prove that we will not?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I'll make you a bet like I always do. I believe in putting my money where my mouth is. I'll bet you \$200 against \$100 that by June 30 they don't have \$5 million.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, if I was a betting man, I would take that bet. I'm not inclined to do that, but I have no reason to doubt that they will at this point. And I think it's simply your thoughts against let's say my thoughts in this case, that it will happen and maybe it's fifty-fifty, I don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You have friends who are betting men in this body. Ask which one of them will take the bet for you. There's old "Bud" Robinson back there. They snookered him. He's a Maximus man now. Okay, thank you. Members of the Legislature, you're all going to get a lot more tired of me before this is through and I'm going to talk about the inconsistencies that I see. We're looking at greed. Senator Kall, you were right. Money makes people do strange things, even play money, money which has not even been realized, but the lure is so strong that even the Appropriations Committee, which wants to tell us we've got to deal in facts, is dealing in smoke and mirrors. They're not going to get any \$50 million. Well, let me ask Senator Wehrbein this because I didn't ask it. Senator Wehrbein, after the 18 months, let's go past June because something could happen and maybe it won't come through in that snort of time so I won't hold you to even your estimate then. You're confident that 18 months from now \$50 million will have come to this state through Maximus.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes, I'm fairly confident at this point.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Members of the Legislature, I