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of the people from Harveys and some of those that they think like a maximum of maybe ten for a state our size would be the maximum.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay, so they base that on population, is that...

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: On population and...

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: ...and the amount of dollars that is currently bet in this state.

SENATOR HILLMAN: The other thing is, is what would you imagine or what has any discussions been as far as what would be the limit, or would we have a limit on betting?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: That hasn't been discussed, Senator, and that would be decided by this body.

SENATOR HILLMAN: So you don't have any...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR HILLMAN: ...any indication as to what you think that might...limit might be?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: No. No, I really haven't because South Dakota is the only one that has that that I know of.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Hillman. Senator Engel.

SENATOR ENGEL: Madam Chairman, members, I just have a question for Senator Schellpeper, if he would. I think Joyce got into a little bit of it here, but...

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Schellpeper.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Yes.

SENATOR ENGEL: If you would, I know in the state of South