

With that I, I don't know if anybody wants my time. I'll surrender, just a minute, sir, I'll give it to you, but I just want to say that this really...I want to do it for my racetrack, but this is...

SENATOR COORDSEN: One minute.

SENATOR ROBAK: ...for you, Mom.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Senator Hilgert.

SENATOR HILGERT: Thank you, Senator Robak. Senator Witek, I've made a policy never to use another senator's name because I think if you're following the debate you know who we're all talking about. But since you used mine, I'll use yours. You said that this isn't a religious issue, never once did I say that it was. I don't pretend to speak for the Catholic churches, in fact, I didn't even bring up the word "Catholic", you did. There's more than Catholic churches in south Omaha. Every time that I've gotten a call, I have talked to the person and, and just like you said, that they don't want this expanded gambling because they have this manifestation in their mind that they're thinking of huge casinos that would even further deplete the money going to their charities. If you would explain what LR 43CA is and says, but hey, would you like to compete against Iowa and replace some of those pickle machines that aren't in their churches, no one said...no one has machines in their churches. But if you want to put in an electronic gaming device in lieu of the pickle machine at the Conoco station on the corner,...

SENATOR COORDSEN: Time.

SENATOR HILGERT: ...you won't be able to do that without this. So I hope that clears it up.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Senator Hilgert. Senator Maurstad.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. President, colleagues. First of all, I rise in opposition to the bracket motion. As I stated the other morning when we were discussing this, however, and I think my position relative to the constitutional amendment is fairly clear and that I don't, don't support the amendment in