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of one type or another, and we don't have any of those in Nebraska. Would that be fair to say?

SENATOR JANSSEN: No, some of the...Senator Beutler, if I may respond to that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Sure.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Some of those charges are for the on-line games. We are talking about scratch here.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, we don't have that.

SENATOR JANSSEN: So no,...well, you do, yes. I mean Nebraska, you do pay for your phone line. Somebody pays for it. I imagine it's the...it's the vendors or the people who supply the lotto and all that, the Powerball, because it takes another phone line. It takes another phone line into your store to, Senator Baker can probably answer this, too, for you also, but they do pay for that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: The...the ven...

SENATOR JANSSEN: The Lottery Commission,...

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...the vendors pay for that,

SENATOR JANSSEN: ...or the vendor.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...the retailer doesn't pay for that.

SENATOR JANSSEN: GTX, or Lotto America, or whoever it is.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yeah, okay.

SENATOR JANSSEN: But the scratch-off is...it's a little different. So you didn't need all of this stuff. I know we just had...when we just had the scratch-off tickets in our store, we didn't have as much equipment as we did when we put the Powerball in. The Powerball took another phone line so we can operate that thing.