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restructuring at the State Fair. I believe we have a manager there now who could possibly get this job done with a little extra money. So I'm going to listen to the rest of the arguments. And, Senator Landis, good luck with your constitutional amendment. Looks like you're going to have to have a lot of it. Thank you, Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Senator Janssen. Next speaker on the bracket motion, Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President and members. I wanted to respond, at least briefly, about some of the comments that are made...that have been made this afternoon relating to the lottery. And there was a statement that we promised the public the provision for education and the environment. And I would like to bring out at least my perspective, and that is that when we...I wasn't here for the debate for the lottery, but I would speculate that most of the debate was, let's let the people decide. And the actual ballot language didn't say education and the environment. That was a legislative prerogative, but maybe it was in sync with an advertising campaign that had some nice flowery things to say. But the fact is I don't believe we made a promise with the people of how those lottery dollars were going to be spent. But let me get a little more specific, and that is how objectionable I have found statements that it's the lottery dollars not even going to education and the environment, but specific projects within a broad set of education and environment issues, like the legal defense for the low-level nuclear waste issue, that...when we wanted to use dollars, because that's the environment, especially since the arguments made for pulling out of the compact were to save the environment of Nebraska. And we can save the further debate on that issue for another time. But the fact is I want the record to be very clear that the way lottery dollars are spent now is not in the constitution, and that we need as much legislative prerogative as we can manage to have here in this body, especially in the times of a budget crisis such as we're having now. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Raikes,...