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Now we have the regional horsemen's association, let's say, and...let's...let me make a slight change from that. Let's say it's an annual meeting for a business in Omaha. It hasn't been there for the last three years, but they're having their annual meeting and 70 percent of the population who comes to that meeting are from Nebraska. Not a new event; business that's happened here before. The Nebraskans don't count, but the out-of-state people who came here will count under the committee amendment to this bill, LB 1105. We think that's out-of-state activity that would not have occurred but for this existence, and we think it's legitimate to count those folks and to have their expenses, costs,...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR LANDIS: ...money, whatever, count for the turnback. I would yield my question time back to Senator Kremer. He can use the rest of my time to comment on that or to pose any other questions he'd like to pose.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Kremer, about 45 seconds.

SENATOR KREMER: Thank you, Senator Landis. I do have one other question. Is that a three-year window, that the event did not happen there in the last three years? You mentioned that several times. Is that part of it? And then is that three-year ongoing so that if it was not here for the last three years and then the next time it was four years since one event happened, does that reset then again for a three-year period or what?

SENATOR LANDIS: Right. The three years is to make sure that we catch the problem of business moving from one side of the state to the other. It moves...it's a moving target,...

SENATOR KREMER: Okay.

SENATOR LANDIS: ...so it hasn't been here for the last three years from the date of the occurrence.

SENATOR KREMER: Okay.