

set up state lotteries, they did so only after this constitutional change by the people. The other four states that did not vote for it have no provisions in their Constitution prohibiting this form of gambling. I urge this body to vote for the Chambers motion to indefinitely postpone this bill, LB 336. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President, members of the body, I have a question for Senator Chambers if he will yield.

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers, will you get on the responding side of this?

SENATOR HEFNER: Senator Chambers, the question that I have you mentioned that this bill would legalize video machines. Could you point that out in the bill or the amendment that we just adopted?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Hefner, the amendment would have specifically prohibited them, so you are aware of that so I don't have to talk about what that amendment was designed to do. Now by giving this lottery commission or the commissioner the right to determine what types of implements, machines or whatever will be used for the lottery purposes will allow him or her or them to select these machines as what they want and the fact that the lobbyists out there who represent these machine companies want the bill without the Hoagland amendment gives the evidence necessary to establish the validity of what I have said.

SENATOR HEFNER: Could you point that out to me in the Beutler-Pappas amendment please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You can make your point if you want to and I'll go through the green and the white.

SENATOR HEFNER: Okay, I can't find it in this amendment which is now the bill where it legalizes video slots. Like I told you before, the committee wanted to see some kind of lottery bill passed but we wanted it to remain with a paper ticket lottery and I think this is what the amendment does. Senator Chambers have you found that?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Hefner, I'll find it and I'll address it in my close for sure.

SENATOR HEFNER: Okay, fine. So I would just urge you to vote against the kill motion.