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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Schellpeper, I thought gambling is gambling is gambling. So when you say different forms of gambling, are you basing it on who is conducting the gambling activity profit...

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Well,...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...versus charitable, or what?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: ...yeah, this is basically charitable gaming, because if you look at the churches, the legions, the VFWs, those are the types that have bingo currently.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: My children can go to church, can't they? And they're encouraged to go to church?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I imagine.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Can they play bingo?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I don't think so.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Schellpeper. Let me ask Senator Will that question because he knows.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Will.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Will, are children encouraged to go to church, as far as you know?

SENATOR WILL: To the best of my knowledge.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Can they play bingo?

SENATOR WILL: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: They can't play bingo in church?

SENATOR WILL: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Can bingo be played in church?