

get any of this revenue. We're not going to see any revenue. There are going to be some benefits to local subdivisions, to local county assessors, but as far as dealing with this particular problem in the special session, I just don't feel that it is germane and it is proper. So I offer this amendment to strike the sections of LB 6 that I find damaging to the homestead exemption. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: May we have order in the Chamber, please. The Chair recognizes Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Mr. President, I'm not necessarily supporting or opposing. I need some information. I read the amendment, looked at the bill. As I understand it, Senator Abboud, and this is a question, as I understand it, you're simply reinstating existing law. Is that right? The general homestead exemption.

PRESIDENT: Senator Abboud, for what purpose?

SENATOR ABOUD: Yes.

PRESIDENT: Oh, excuse me, Senator Abboud.

SENATOR DECAMP: Okay then.

SENATOR ABOUD: It strictly reinstates the existing language.

SENATOR DECAMP: Okay then, then wouldn't the proper thing be...the proper thing would be just to kill the bill, wouldn't it, because if you're reinstating language and this bill hasn't passed, that existing language would remain. Follow what I am saying? In other words, you'd kill this bill rather than passing it, rather than amending it, rather than doing anything, you just kill the bill. Wouldn't that accomplish exactly the same purpose? Or do I misunderstand?

PRESIDENT: Well, I chose to amend it, Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Okay. Okay.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion on Senator Abboud's amendment? Further discussion? You may close, Senator Abboud.