

Beutler's amendment? In this amendment you are not dealing with Section 40 at all considering the employers. You are taking out any kind of a lien on a mortgage should a man remarry so there cannot be any lien on his mortgage to force him to pay back child support. Is that the part we are taking out here?

SENATOR BEUTLER: If the property is in the name of the new wife and the lien and the child support is owed by the husband, then you are right, there would not be a lien.

SENATOR HIGGINS: So that if a man would remarry, or a woman, and they use their combined incomes to buy a new home and they put it in only one spouse's name, then there could be no lien against the property.

SENATOR BEUTLER: That's right.

SENATOR HIGGINS: So that...

SENATOR BEUTLER: I'm not in agreement with that, personally, Senator Higgins, but that is part of the compromise. If you want to divide the question and address that separately, you can.

SENATOR HIGGINS: Okay, I see.

SENATOR BEUTLER: But you are right, that is what changes.

SENATOR HIGGINS: I think I would like to divide the question on it.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR HIGGINS: See how it comes out. I understand in reading this amendment and I just now saw it, at the request of the county attorney the Attorney General's Office may assume control so you are still leaving it with the county attorneys unless they want to give it to the Attorney General.

SENATOR BEUTLER: That's right. We don't want to take away from the county attorneys their prerogatives.

SENATOR HIGGINS: And if the Attorney General doesn't want it, then what?