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relating it to the city of Lincoln, it will not bother me, if the three investigators come from outside both Lincoln and Lancaster County. We are not talking about that many situations. I think the objective of achieving the fact and the appearance of disinterested, careful, trained investigation is more important than the technicality that has been raised. I believe jurisdiction is the correct word. I believe it will be correctly interpreted and correctly applied. I simply wanted to make the point that we have tried to take the existing requirements as it relates to grand juries and investigations, to superimpose upon it some further developed and refined thought to accommodate the concerns of all who needed to be advised to not do anything that was...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...impractical. That's why we've dealt with natural deaths, that we've dealt with the 30 days, to trust the courts to use their discretion, to extend the 30 day time period when it's appropriate to do so. We've tried to address all of those practicalities in the pursuit of an objective which I think serves the interest of justice. I continue to urge the return of the bill and the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brashear. Further discussion, Senator Bourne.

SENATOR BOURNE: Thank you, Mr. President. We've had some good discussion on this bill. But my question for Senator Chambers is found on subsection (b), where it talks about "the court shall appoint a special prosecutor". My understanding of the current law is that the judge involved in the case can, at his discretion, his or her discretion, appoint a special prosecutor. And what this law would do, or this bill now would change the law so that there is a mandatory appointment of a special prosecutor. I further understand that several years ago, when prosecutor Lacey...or excuse me, County Attorney Lacey appointed a special prosecutor, that the costs to the county ran in excess of \$100,000. And Douglas County, with the recent shooting there, speaking specifically about Mr. Ammons (phonetic), the special prosecutor bills were in excess of \$100,000. That's my question for Senator Chambers, do you think that given the way