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know that I have any more to say on the big picture. In fact, I've talked quite a bit about the committee amendments already, Senator Cudaback. So with that, I will quit for this minute.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Wehrbein, as Chairman of the committee, you're recognized to open on the committee amendments to LB 543.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: And I'm going to say that that's really what I discussed right there. I think I have a committee...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Oh, before...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...another amendment following immediately, is that true?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wehrbein would move to amend with AM1567. (Legislative Journal page 1616.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Wehrbein, you are recognized to open on your amendment to the committee amendments.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: AM1567? This one is a very small one that I went on with...no, excuse me, it's not the one I was thinking about yet. This one is the one that strikes the \$30 million to the community colleges property tax relief fund. The amendment simply says, if you notice, it strikes \$50,915,113 and \$51,975,873 and inserts \$20,915,113 and \$21,975,873, which, obviously, is \$30 million in each case. This is reducing the property tax relief via the community college fund by \$30 million in each year. That's simply all it does. The committee felt that this was one way that we could absorb the loss in revenue. This has not been an ongoing promise, if you will, by I think this body and the Governor's Office actually too. This hinged on revenue, strong revenue growth. We've had that strong revenue growth. Now it is starting to slow down. I think we, the committee felt that this was an appropriate area to withdraw at this point realizing there's probably frustrations about this going away. On the other hand, if we