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It's something I wanted to get on the record, if I may.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Bourne, would you respond?

SENATOR BOURNE: Of course.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Senator Bourne, I meant to talk to you about this earlier and didn't get it done, although I do want it on the record. This gives no power to trustees of an SID outside their immediate district or their immediate jurisdiction. Would that be correct?

SENATOR BOURNE: Well, that's my understanding. What...and, well, I'm not exactly sure what you're asking, but let me just kind of reiterate what the underlying bill does. If you want to take private property for a public use under Section 25-501, there's a series of hoops that you have to jump through, and one of those is that if you...you have to give 45 days' notice and then after that 45 days expires or, excuse me, you have to give 45 days' notice that you want to enter into negotiations. Then after that 45 days expires, then you have to give another 30 days' notice. All this does is waive the notice requirements so that the SID can immediately go and negotiate with the landowner. That's all there is to it. But...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay. Well, as it...as I read it, and I'm a layman, not an attorney, but as I read into it, giving the jurisdiction to SIDs, which now villages and others have, it's...it's my limited understanding that these jurisdictions can condemn for some things, water and so forth, outside their jurisdiction. I don't want to give that power to SIDs, and I do see in your testimony you said district, within the district.

SENATOR BOURNE: Right.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: And if that's accurate, I'm comfortable with that; but I...SIDs tend to be private developers and others, not necessarily elected bodies as they're set up, and I want to be sure that they don't have then the right of eminent domain outside their immediate concern, and that's...that's what I wanted to be sure of. Thank you.