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have on a shrinking piece of the pie. If you look at the top copy, in 1985 the operations of state government, the part that we're addressing with the Redfield-Bourne amendment, the university and colleges and all other agencies, the operations of state government made up almost 50 percent of the pie, and now it makes up just a little over a third of the pie. We are...we have been, in the last two and a half years, trying to address most of the shortfall that we've had, which has been enormous, on that part of the budget, and until we can address some of the other pieces of the budget, I don't agree with Senator Wehrbein in that a pickup in the economy is going to be enough to fix the problem. If you look at the last page of the set of three sheets that has at the top "Agency Operations," the last sheet takes a percentage rate of growth that is what we think that it may look like for the next few years, and that's the first column, and applies it to the pie as the pie existed in 1985, '95, and 2005, and what the difference is in our overall rate of growth as how the pie is composed. And we are looking at a projected rate of growth of 5.2. If you applied that to the pie as it existed in 1985, our budget would only be growing at 4.1 percent because that part of the budget that is growing so much, Medicaid and to a certain extent state aid to local political subdivisions, was a smaller part of the pie. The part that's not growing very much, the operations of state budget, was a bigger part of the pie. Now, because Medicaid is such a big piece of it and is growing so fast, it would actually be more even...more...it would be 5.3 rather than the 5.2 using the raw data. If 50 percent of our budget grows at 0, and 50 percent of our budget grows at 10 percent, which is essentially the way it is if you are looking at Medicaid and state aid, we'll say this relatively but you've got 50 at 0, 50 at 10, your average growth is 5 percent. But in just a few years, you're going to have 70 percent of your budget growing at 10 percent and 30 percent of your budget growing at 0, and so your effective overall growth rate is 7 percent. We've got to deal with some of the big drivers in this or we cannot...we can't balance the budget on this little piece of the pie. When I...I used to serve on the Appropriations Committee...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.