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retaining those graduates in small rural towns of Nebraska, that's fine, but we have to wait at least a year and see what the effect of the loss of the federal money for medical education will be. Therefore, this is not the time to really pass that kind of amendment and I am against it. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Simon, do you wish to speak on the amendment?

SENATOR SIMON: I've got a couple of questions of Senator Maresh, please, if he'd yield.

SENATOR MARESH: Yes, Senator Simon.

SENATOR SIMON: Senator Maresh, what would...with the passage of your amendment, what would the tuition then be?

SENATOR MARESH: \$1800...

SENATOR SIMON: I thought it was 1800 now.

SENATOR MARESH: Pardon me, it would be 1980. It would be \$180 increase, ten percent increase right.

SENATOR SIMON: And what's outstate tuition as compared to instate? Is there any difference in tuition? I presume there is.

SENATOR MARESH: Yes, out of state is 32...pardon me, in Nebraska, the out of state tuition is 3200, and in Kansas it's 6,000.

SENATOR SIMON: No, I'm asking...what is the cost, if I wanted to go to Med School here, what does it cost me versus what does it cost me from Manhattan, Kansas coming in to our Med School?

SENATOR MARESH: That's what I said, 3200 for from out of state students, pay...

SENATOR SIMON: 3200 outstate and 1800 instate.

SENATOR MARESH: Yes, and in Kansas it's 3,000 for resident and 6,000 for nonresident.

SENATOR SIMON: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR MARESH: Uh huh.