

need already identified and many many more projects that have yet to be identified that we obviously could save money on and when we put this money in the investment return is just incredible on it. The dollar we put down on the conservation efforts will bring back \$5 in savings in no time at all and it seems to me that when you are talking about tax dollars and savings this is truly a wise investment. Another point you ought to keep in mind is that this is a short term program, that the end of this, reconversion of this money from the permanent school fund would end on July 1 of 1986 so this is only a five year intense effort to try and get money where it is needed, to try and deal with some problems that we have already identified and after that five year period the money will reconvert back to the permanent school fund. I think under the crisis situation we are in with energy it is a wise thing to do to try and put that money at this point and then after a five year period after we have taken care of some of the problem we can go back to the regular situation that we had before. So that is a little more details on the facts of the matter and I think they indicate the need for this bill and the need for this amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Maresh, you have an amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Maresh moves to amend the DeCamp amendments: (Read Maresh amendment as found on page 1568 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR MARESH: Yes, Mr. Speaker, as I said I think we should try to give technical assistance to those that are building alcohol plants. As I had stated earlier, Senator Schmit and I heard about an instance where a person was killed in Texas because a still was not properly designed and Senator Schmit is not here now but he told me that he would support this amendment because it is a concern, that these are properly constructed and safe. They are under high pressure of steam pressure and I think we need to make sure that these people get all the technical knowhow that is available. So I move that the amendment be adopted.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Koch, do you want to speak to the Maresh amendment? Okay.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, I understand Senator Maresh's intent but historically any severance tax from the source that we are talking about has gone into the public schools of the State of Nebraska. Now we are going to open the gate and we are going to say, this is to develop another source of