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for commitments but for voluntary commitments as well. So I would expect we are talking a minimal change in fiscal obligations. I would, however, also like to say I am more than amenable to having this fiscal note be asked for a clarification and that that information could be developed by Select File.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: He addressed the bill, Mr. Speaker. He didn't address my question. He didn't answer my question. It says there will be an additional cost to the county and then it doesn't say what the cost is going to be. They know how much these twenty-five cases, if that is all there were, cost over the period of years. So I suppose the thing to do is I will go along with the advancement to Select File and Senator Landis will be sure to bring us and have us an up-to-date fiscal note. Will you agree to that, Senator Landis?

SENATOR LANDIS: I will be happy to agree with that and I will send to the fiscal office a request for the same.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Thank you. The motion is to adopt the Landis amendment to the committee amendments. All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. This is the Landis amendment to the committee amendments. Record.

CLERK: 19 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the Landis amendment to committee amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Landis amendment to the committee amendments is adopted and now, Senator Landis, we are adopting the committee amendments first, excuse me. All those in favor of the adoption of the committee amendments vote aye, opposed vote no. Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to adopt the committee amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. The committee amendments are adopted. Do you want to explain the bill first, Senator Landis?

SENATOR LANDIS: Yes, Mr. Speaker, and I will try to do this as quickly as possible given the lateness of the hour and the heat of the room. LB 499 replaces our involuntary commitment statutes with respect to the mentally retarded. Let me