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SENATOR KAHLE: That is a hard question to answer, Senator Koch, because our land, of course, is not for sale.

SENATOR KOCH: Okay, I understand that but because your land is not for sale there may be other pieces of land that are for sale and would you agree with me on this position that when you start limiting the competition in terms of the buyer and what the seller might get, aren't you then going to possibly depress the value of that land as well?

SENATOR KAHLE: It is possible but I will tell you, Senator Koch, there are things we are going to have to do in order to preserve the family farm that are not as palatable as I would like to see them but I think the time has come that when corporations could come in and buy huge areas of our land it is time that we did do something about it and it is going to hurt us that want to sell our land, perhaps.

SENATOR KOCH: Thank you, Senator Kahle, and I know that you are sincere in what you are stating. No doubt Senator Burrows is very sincere but I will restate the discussion of a week ago. I believe that the problem can be solved at another level, and not in this Legislature nor any state legislature. It has to go back again, and I will state it one more time, when Congress becomes concerned about huge corporate interests as it relates to our land and its ability to produce or to be utilized for different purposes, as long as they allow certain tax advantages for those kinds of people who use it as a hedge, then it is difficult for me to stand here and say I am going to pass some law that is going to impede the free enterprise system and I think most of us would agree when Congress passes tax laws there are certain kinds of legal loopholes that are allowed to people or to corporations and they take advantage of those kinds of laws, and why shouldn't they, because by law we have made it legal to do so and I submit to you that if this body is so sincere about its interest in corporate farming and the advantages and disadvantages which accrue to us, then that is where we ought to try to influence the people. I heard Congressman Smith the other day talk about she is going to get rid of that widow's tax that is unfair, whereby a piece of farmland or whatever it might be ends up in the hands of a widow, she has to pay a certain tax and we all know what that is. If the land remains in the hands of the surviving spouse who would be the male, that is exempt. Now if we really want to get to the root of a problem and if the problem is as great as we think it is, then that is where we should direct our attention, to our delegation, and say let's try to close those tax advantages so that corporates would not be out here taking advantage of large amounts of