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want to talk on this?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, the amendment as it reads is, I think, overly broad at a very minimum because I can't think just reading the amendment and, Senator Fowler, you correct me if I'm wrong, I cannot think of any person in the State of Nebraska that doesn't receive, whether they be one year old or ninety years old, some service from the state in some manner and yet that is the way that the amendment reads. I can see possibly supporting it if you would make it abundantly clear that you are talking about services for the school or in the school or something like that but it really doesn't say that at all. Would you yield to a question?

SENATOR FOWLER: I will yield, yielding. Did you have a question, Senator DeCamp?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Yes. Would the Clerk just read the amendment as it reads right there? Listen carefully and see if you don't think it's quite broad.

CLERK: Mr. President, the amendment would read as follows: (Read Fowler amendment as found on page 1314 of the Journal.)

SENATOR DeCAMP: Would you be acceptable to adding some words at the institution or at the school or something like that in there?

SENATOR FOWLER: I guess the only service that then would exclude is the transportation to and from the school. It says educational assistance or services and that means educational assistance or educational services so that it is not any other types of services. We're talking about, you know, the three examples right now that I can think of are, requests to use publicly funded school transportation, school lunches and special education services that are provided at school.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Okay, then with that understanding in this legislative intent I think I have no opposition to it. Does that mean then you'll support the bill once this is adopted?

SENATOR FOWLER: Well there is one other amendment, right?

SENATOR DeCAMP: With Wiley Remmers amendment then would you support it?

SENATOR FOWLER: Sure. SENATOR CLARK: Senator Koch.