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in it.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Will that cover everybody the second year?

SENATOR CONWAY: Yes.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Will it cover everybody the third year?

SENATOR CONWAY: Sure.

SENATOR HABERMAN: And the fourth year.

SENATOR CONWAY: Sure, forever and ever.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, then...

SENATOR CONWAY: If you want to ask...(interruption).

SENATOR HABERMAN: Then if you're going to dangle that carrot out and say to these schools, if you pay more salary, you're going to get more of the fund. Isn't that the intent of the bill?

SENATOR CONWAY: Correct, up to the threshold.

SENATOR HABERMAN: So if more schools pay a higher salary and they drag more out of the pool, isn't that going to cost more money?

SENATOR CONWAY: No.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, thank...well, I guess maybe beings as I haven't had enough time to sit down and really figure this, I'm going to have to disagree with you, Senator Conway, because, from what I understand, the idea is to get more teachers to pay...to receive a higher salary.

SENATOR CONWAY: Correct.

SENATOR HABERMAN: And if the school would pay a higher salary, then they can tap the pool.

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CONWAY: Correct.