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SENATOR GOODRICH: The actual...for a broker's license, for example, it goes from \$50 up to \$65 per year for...

SENATOR SMITH: That's the license. I'm talking...there is no other...there is no other examination, there is just the examination fee which is from 25 to 100 and then the increase in the dollar amount on the license for both categories, for the realtor, the salesperson's license and the broker. And at the same time as we have an amendment which is a part of the bill which would...or is that what the bill is itself, which would increase the commission per diem from \$50 a day to \$100 a day?

SENATOR GOODRICH: That part is in the bill.

SENATOR SMITH: Would you be amenable to something a little bit more realistic, instead of increasing on the people that are going to be out there doing the work, quite a huge increase in a fee for not only taking the test but also in their renewal in their fee and their license itself, and maybe less in the per diem for commissioners, try to balance that out a little bit better?

SENATOR GOODRICH: The \$100 referred to is not a fee, it's not...

SENATOR SMITH: It's a license.

SENATOR GOODRICH: No, it's not.

SENATOR SMITH: I mean, it's an exam charge.

SENATOR GOODRICH: It's a maximum that you cannot go beyond. If you...

SENATOR SMITH: I understand that, Senator Goodrich, that's not what I asked you.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Well, you won't let anybody answer a question so just go ahead and talk.

SENATOR SMITH: I just asked you a question which is, would you be willing to compromise?

SENATOR GOODRICH: Yes, but then you won't let anybody answer, you just keep talking and talking. Now let me answer the