

them money to do these audits, so this compact is definitely not working because it is going to cost them money. We provide \$80,000, we came up with that figure by looking at two full-time auditors, what they would cost. We are going to...the Department of Revenue is going to...has suggested looking at these warranty cards that we could get from the major dealers, which would be high-ticket items, that we could then pay these neighboring states to conduct an audit of this dealer, and then I want you all to understand where the penalty is going to come down. It is going to come down on a farmer in my district, or a farmer in your district because they have refused to do their duty of paying this sales tax. That is something you need to consider. I have thought about it long and hard. The implement dealers have thought about it, and, as I mentioned in my opening, I don't feel they should be bound to be reporting on these people. It is not their duty, but I do feel it is the duty of the farmers in my district to realize what can happen if these implement dealers continue to lose these sales. Sooner or later, the door will be shut and they will be forced to go...to drive for the small part, for the medium size part, and they will be crying in their milk at that time, I believe. I know we have had the same experience in Tecumseh. Had a nice clothing store at one time, everybody came to Lincoln and bought their clothes, not everybody, but most people. Now the clothing store is closed, simple as that. Now we have to drive to Lincoln. We have to look other places to buy our clothes. It is the same thing on implements here, folks, it's saying, you know how it works, buy it at home. I think this is a good way to address this problem. I have the same concerns that Senator Haberman and Senator Hall had and it made me think twice before I offered this, but I think by going out this way is a proper way to address it and I would like you to think about it. And, remember, we are contracting with surrounding states to try and help this cooperative arrangement work, and I would ask your support for this amendment one time, one year, 80,000, and then reporting to see...

SENATOR HANNIBAL: One minute.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: ...so, possibly, Senator Moore, when you are sitting back with your eyes closed the next time, I will come by and I will drop the information on your lap. And I ask you to support the amendment and give the remaining seconds to Senator Haberman.