

automatic collection after 30 days, automatic collection of interest. And let us not fool each other, or kid each other that it's going to be taken care of...

PRESIDENT MOUL: One minute.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...accidentally, it won't happen. We are not going to solve the problem. I sympathize with Douglas County. I've talked with Senator Lynch, and Chizek and those gentlemen many times about the problem that the county and the city faces because of the noncollection of child support. And I think we ought to address that issue rather than to add this on the statute, because it will be one more statute which we'll enact in order to save \$7 million. And I'm afraid it will not benefit the children. It is unfortunate that we have this kind of federal mandate. I think the people on this floor have a deeper interest and a better understanding of the problem than does the Congress, although I...

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...I concede that they have a right to be interested.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Schmit. Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: I...as yet this is a difficult one. I did...I know that the social security...or social services are only one of three agencies that reviews this child support. But in cases at home, whether it be removal of a child from home, or so on and so forth, actually it's social services that initiates it. And it may or it may not be the interest of every one. I am aware that in October of 1990 the state, it says the state must determine whether an order being enforced under this chapter should be reviewed pursuant to the written publicity, a publicly available state plan for the periodic review, and so on, and that social services did get a nasty letter from the government. I guess I'm used to getting those every once in a while. And also I noticed if you take these Nebraska child support guidelines, myself being fairly familiar with self-employed income, for example, if a social service worker used this, if a party is self-employed, depreciation claimed on a tax return should be added back to income or loss from the business or farm to arrive at annualized total monthly income. Well, for goodness sakes, that could make a monthly...an income, be it a