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SENATOR ROBINSON: I understand that, but how many companies?

SENATOR HALL: Well, however many would apply, Senator. I don't know. A hundred million...one, none...

SENATOR ROBINSON: How many are involved in it now?

SENATOR HALL: In the 775 program?

SENATOR ROBINSON: Yeah.

SENATOR HALL: Would be affected by this amendment?

SENATOR ROBINSON: No, there are companies now that are not paying personal property tax on mainline computers and jet airplanes, aren't there?

SENATOR HALL: Yes, there are.

SENATOR ROBINSON: How many are there?

SENATOR HALL: I do not know.

SENATOR ROBINSON: How much money are we talking about?

SENATOR HALL: I am of the belief, Senator, that this amendment would not impact those companies at all. That's what I have stated for the record when I introduced this, that this amendment does not affect those who are currently contracting with the state.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Yes, but if that property were put back on the tax rolls January 1 of '92, how much money would those companies be paying?

SENATOR HALL: None. My argument is they would be paying none. This would not impact those companies that we currently contract with. And I'll explain that if you want me to.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Sure. Go ahead.

SENATOR HALL: Okay, what would happen is that those people who we currently contract with...