

no direct cost per se in that the concept is we, in dealing with LB 544 which is now on General File that came out of the Government Committee earlier this year, there was a great deal of discussion relative to developing a means by which we have electronic input into the UCC and dealing with tax liens. There was some discussion relative to some of the equipment and would it be up and available and running and could we make this conversion and all of the various technical questions that went into it at the time and so a suggestion was brought to me and therein lies the reason for this amendment, was to allow the Secretary of State's Office to use \$20,000 of its Cash Funds that come through its filing systems and allow them to develop a demonstration project by which they would be able to put the computerization of tax liens and tax filings in a computer system, let it run parallel to the existing system and see how it works and then use that as a proof positive that it is possible, that it would be more efficient and more valuable for the system so that the various users, as well as the various input entities, whether it be the Department of Revenue or the...or the IRS could use such a system and provide electronic systems. So the request basically is to use \$20,000 of the Cash Funds to develop this computerized tax lien filing system to run parallel to our current system and, hopefully, by late summer they would have the thing up and running and could use it as basically a demonstration project to prove its feasibility, its uniqueness and appropriateness of using it in that fashion. So that's basically what the amendment attempts to change to LB 843.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Conway. Discussion on the amendment offered by Senator Conway. Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Well, I, Mr. Speaker, I know there are some, a few problems, I mean, I'm not out to bushwhack Senator Conway, but I don't...need to understand this bill that there are some concerns that some people have and one of the problems is in Douglas County and the access to the ECC system when it used to indeed be one terminal only. And there...I mean, this issue goes a little deeper than \$20,000 intent language on...for a trial project. I think there are some people that are opposed to this bill. I just want people to understand before they vote on it that there is some level of concern because the whole change in statewide electric filing, which this will be the harbinger of, is a big policy change in the State of Nebraska because, for the first time ever in Nebraska, a lien upon real