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SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR LAMB: ...there are these...

SENATOR SCHMIT: I have one more question, Senator Lamb, and I would like to get it on record. Section number three, or portion number three, would this mitigate some of the inequities of 1059 in regard to the funding for the City of Lincoln, would that be part of the result of this amendment?

SENATOR LAMB: Well, any school that is experiencing rapid growth wil' get that money one year earlier. That is what it does. Under 1059, there is a provision for additional state aid for rapid growth. All this does is speed it up so they get it a year earlier when they actually need it...

SENATOR SCHMIT: But it would help.

SENATOR LAMB: ...instead two years later.

SENATOR SCHMIT: It would help the Lincoln School Districts?

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, and...

SENATOR SCHMIT: Do you have any idea how much money?

SENATOR LAMB: How much money, I don't know.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Okay, I have raised the question. I am sure someone can answer it. Well, Mr. President and members, this sounds to me like a win, win, win...

SPEAKER BAACK: Time.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...kind of an amendment, a win for Senator Lamb, a win for the Education Committee, and a win for the City of Lincoln. I don't see how any rational person could possibly oppose this kind of an amendment, and so I want to thank you, Senator Lamb, for your...

SPEAKER BAACK: Time.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...excellent explanation.