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SENATOR MOORE: ...higher education. Now if local government aid is totally off the boards, then you are talking about increasing, either this session or in January, increasing the across-the-board component to state government, you are talking about doing more that is going to cause layoffs in state government. If that is the path you choose, that is certainly fine with me. The only concern I have is that the books balance. If you do not want to touch state aid in any way, shape, or form, even though we already have touched the teachers aid program, even though we already have touched the school aid, even though we already have talked...are going to delay developmental disabilities and mentally retarded, I mean should MIRF be untouchable?

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR MOORE: I don't think so. I do not think so. If the body does not want to take this cut, we can find \$3 million easier someplace else. Obviously, the Appropriations Committee recommended not cutting DPI and State Patrol for I think sound reasons. We recommended not taking the full wards of the court component the Governor recommended. We didn't think that was sound policy.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR MOORE: I urge the advancement of LB 11.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Moore. We will now vote on the motion to advance LB 11. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: I'd ask for a call of the house and a roll call vote.

PRESIDENT MOUL: We have a request for a call of the house. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 21 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The house is under call. Would all unexcused senators please return to the Chamber and record their presence. All unauthorized personnel must leave the floor, the house is