

obligating ourselves beyond what we appropriate and that's my protection that this doesn't get out of hand. That also means we can probably cut that which makes me a little nervous, but that's, you know, that becomes the, I suppose, the uncertainty of any public financing of those things.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Now this commission will be, will have the most power, I see it's nine members. Do they come from various parts of the state, you know, like we have the judicial areas, I don't know, would that be where the attorneys would come from that would make up this commission? Would they come from all over the state? And I'm just, you know...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: No, that's a good question. In Section 6...

SPEAKER WITHEM: One minute.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: ...of the green copy of the bill, the members will come from each of the Supreme Court judicial districts, three will be appointed at large, so you have some...and there to try to have those who are independent from a partisan political influence and that have some commitment towards providing indigent defense services as well, and I point to you to Section 6 of the green copy.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Okay, I see it now. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. President, members. Senator Kristensen, a couple questions if you would, please.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Sure.

SENATOR HALL: Who wrote the one-liner on this bill?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: I believe I did.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you. That's a trick. This one got by me and I have to admit it's a very clever maneuver. Clearly, we got a judiciary bill that ended up in revenue and that's why some of the discussion I guess will take place the way it did and kudos to Senator Kristensen because I would have to have a talk with Ms. Pepperl if it was somebody from revisors who wrote