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left over you can pass...

SENATOR HALL: Right.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: That's the major thing it does.

SENATOR HALL: Okay.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: It then over on section, on the next page on Section 5, it strikes out that it's going to be housed in the Department of Revenue...

SENATOR HALL: And I've got that marked out.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: ...for administration.

SENATOR HALL: And I've got that marked out. Where will it then be housed?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Well, you're going to have the fund setting in Revenue, but this is going to be its own, it's going to be a freestanding, as Senator Warner said in his opening, it's a freestanding group at that point in time.

SENATOR HALL: Where would they be standing free? I mean where would they office, in essence?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Let's see, I've got to read through back there, basically, they're going to office, I assume, here. If we wanted to move them to Kearney, I'd sure take that amendment.

SENATOR HALL: No, I'm not asking, I mean, is there...to be housed in the Department of Revenue would lead me to believe that they'd probably be in the State Office Building or...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Well, I think they're going to be there. I didn't want them, at this point, if I'm going to go to state funding, I didn't want the Department of Revenue trying to set guidelines of who they're going to represent and who they're not. Department of Revenue is a mechanism to flow the money through to create the fund with.

SENATOR HALL: I understand that, but are we then looking for space for an additional entity, and I take it the answer is yes, we don't know yet where that will be.