

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Well, Senator Robinson, we have caseload requirements in Rule 51 for different handicapping conditions.

SENATOR ROBINSON: So you could waive that...

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Right.

SENATOR ROBINSON: ...and increase those?

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Right.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Okay. Go ahead if you have some other to say.

SENATOR MCKENZIE: No, that's all right.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Do you have any other examples that you might...that might could be pretty good sized dollar amounts?

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Well, I think one of the areas that we could look at outside of the two we talked about would be on the way in which transportation requirements have been interpreted. In many cases, school districts have provided transportation to students who needed...needed that transportation because of multiple handicaps, severe handicaps, but they have also made transportation, free transportation available to numbers of other students.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR MCKENZIE: And that's another area where we could look at waivers.

SENATOR ROBINSON: I have had some letters from a couple of my administrators, and one said, well, you know, you could have a student, Senator McKenzie, you could have a student move in that could cost you 25 or 30 thousand dollars, what do you do in a situation like that? You just...you just, if you don't have the money, you just take it out of property taxes?

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Senator Robinson, that is currently what schools do...

SENATOR ROBINSON: Yeah.