

base line amount in order for them to be able to operate in this fiscal year at their present facility as they transition to the lesser facility, smaller facility.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So that means, okay to June 29 or July 1 of the middle of next year?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: That's my understanding, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And if they haven't succeeded in putting together whatever they're supposed to have done by then, acquisition of a site and renovation of it or whatever they're being required to do, they would not have the money to operate at their present level where they are now?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: That's my understanding, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So that would mean that if money has to be paid to somebody in order to keep that site and that money is not paid, they could be evicted from the site where they are now by the middle of next year.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: There's a little bit of carrot and stick in the handling of this, but that's not totally unusual as you know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But is that what would happen if worst comes to worst?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: We're dealing in the hypotheticals, but, yes, I think that's a possibility.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, has the administration of the deaf school indicated, or the School for the Deaf, what they would do if this contingency arose?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Not to my knowledge, at least to me as an individual member of the committee, I don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. Now if they succeed in putting this plan together as they're supposed to, they would have enough money to operate at that new facility from July onward or does everything just terminate in July of '96, if you know?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: No, there's a base appropriation that they