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Senator Beutler, were paying. And the highest state has 38 percent that are paying.

SENATOR CROSBY: But is that...is that this sheet?

SENATOR WITEK: Yes.

SENATOR CROSBY: Well, that...at the head of that it says federal child support cases. What does that mean? Is that... Chris, maybe you can help us on this. I don't understand. See, I'm trying to figure out how many people in Nebraska actually don't pay. And that percentage sound awfully low to me, that those.... What does that mean, Chris? Chris will help us, Kate, thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: My best understanding of it, Senator, is that these are 4-D cases. These...which are two categories, it's all ADC, and in addition to that it's anybody that essentially wanted to pay them a buck and have an authorizing attorney handle their case.

SENATOR CROSBY: Okay.

SENATOR BEUTLER: So there are two categories. But there's a third category out there of people who paid at the beginning, have always paid,...

SENATOR CROSBY: Have always paid.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...never been pulled into the system,...

SENATOR CROSBY: That's the highest percentage.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...and we don't.... Probably is, and nobody I know has...

SENATOR CROSBY: But you don't have any...

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...that figure.

SENATOR CROSBY: But you don't have any numbers on that?