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direction that Lieutenant Governor Kim Robak has been heading this direction to reorganize government to be more efficient, and, Senator Wesely, can I ask you a question?

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Yes.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I guess in analyzing this and going through it and understanding that we are trying to be more efficient and do a better job in taking care of the problems in these various departments, could you by any measure at all, and I suppose this is an unfair question, but I'm going to ask it, could you, in any measure at all, say in the next two or three years there would be any accumulated savings? Or do you think that by being more attentive to the problems that it will, in fact, end up costing more money?

SENATOR WESELY: No, no. I think ultimately there will be a savings. Where several employees are doing the same type of work, I think Senator Pedersen somewhat referenced that, the duplication of services, hopefully that will all be cut down and we can direct some of those savings into adequately staffing the front-line people that are overworked right now and still come up with a significant savings.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Well, then the other question that follows up with that, some of the things we talked about and that I've been questioned about is the costs, administrative costs. And it seems as though the way it's being projected now there would, in fact, be some administrative costs. Is that possible?

SENATOR WESELY: I think, Senator Vrtiska, it will save, because instead of five directors you'll have three, you'll have a Policy Secretary as well. But essentially you do go from five to four at least, so right there you've got a savings. And then in addition you've got, instead of having in each of the agencies an accounting function and whatever, you can bring those pieces together. And some of the things that are being duplicated in each of the agencies doesn't have to happen anymore. You can have just one entity that will pull those pieces. So I think it will cut...

SENATOR VRTISKA: Well,...