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SENATOR ABOUD: I received notification that there would be an A bill here with the amendments that were added and on the original bill as well. I think it's 17,000 for fiscal year '96-97, I'm just reading it through here, and then 29,000 for fiscal year '97-98 to the State Patrol for carrying out the provisions of the bill, and I believe 10,000 for salary in '96-97, and 20,000 in '97-98 for salary. Is that...is that your interpretation?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes.

SENATOR ABOUD: I don't know if those...I guess that's what...that's what was given to me by the Fiscal Office. I'll have time to review it here, and I was planning on...I know someone was planning on dropping it in, so...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: (Laughter.) That's all I wanted to make sure of.

SENATOR ABOUD: Yeah, you're kind of up on that sort of stuff, so I...but those numbers are awfully low, so you sure you don't want to bump them up a little bit? I mean...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: (Laugh.) I was going to explain them just a little bit more with your...but I wanted to be sure either the A bill was dropped in, or we had a talk on it, because we are on Select, and I just wanted to...

SENATOR ABOUD: As you know, I just received this, this morning, Senator.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I understand that, Senator Abboud. And I will just call the body's attention that this bill will have a cost, and it's somewhat modest. It is a...17,000 for the first six months, and then 29,750 on an annualized basis, which will primarily be probably a full-time person at the State Patrol to do the maintaining of these registries. They have to be updated at least annually, perhaps oftener. There are about 1,000 of these crimes committed in the state, 1,000 to 1,200 a year committed, so at least maybe even half of these as part of the estimate would have to be part of the recordkeeping that this person would be doing. So, in order to focus on the job and do