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the longstanding problems facing some of the counties, whose judges are making placements outside the Office of Juvenile Services that the counties have to pay for. If they go to the Office of Juvenile Services, the state pays for it. My county, for example, does not...has not done that, but Douglas and Lancaster have a significant problem, it's been up last year and other years, trying to find a way to address their issue. The compromise that's going to become the committee...the rest of the committee amendment will be the next thing we discuss. We need to make a decision on whether or not to leave the secure confinement facility with the Department...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR THOMPSON: ...of Corrections. That's what the amendment, as soon as it gets down here, was intended to do, was just to strip that out of the committee amendments so that when we get to the committee amendments we'll be dealing with the county issue.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay.

SENATOR THOMPSON: We'll deal with the county issue next. Then we'll be back to the green copy, which is the facility master plan for...with the 2 cent cigarette tax.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay. Thank you.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Thompson.

SENATOR THOMPSON: Thank you very much. Once we get this sorted out I think it will come together a little easier. We'll be down to two issues. The next issue will be dealing with a county cost issue. It's a proposal that's supported by the County Officials Association and...as well as Douglas and Lancaster Counties. Some of you may have heard from your county boards, I know they're in town today, and it's an issue that has the potential to touch any county. But it's larger than just paying for...who pays for it. It has to do with the fact that we've created a dual system in the last few years out of