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in that there would be possibly some property tax relief, even though it would not be a monumental amount, but there would be some, probably, to our local counties, theoretically, that would come with this legislation. Given all of that, you would think that I would probably support the bracket motion. But I am not going to support the bracket motion, and let me tell you why. I think the state should pursue a waiver. And I'm not satisfied, after reading the task force report and the different letters associated with that, that we should not apply for a waiver. There's a dispute about whether or not the financial cost of running our own system in the University of Nebraska study is accurate. The judges and the county attorneys and those that are most directly involved with the process claim that they were not adequately involved in that study. So, if we scrap this legislation until next January, without any further direction to anyone legislatively, how are we going to be sure that anything happens, or that we'll be in any different position in January than we are now, other than the fact that we will have pushed the confrontation with the federal government perhaps to a point that we might have some additional correspondence from them? My hope would be that, if there's going to be a delay in this legislation, that it would be much shorter, and that we would, if we can't get a commitment out of the current administration to pursue a waiver, that we perhaps use this legislation as direction to pursue a waiver. We can come back in January, we can introduce this or a similar bill again, if the waiver process is unsuccessful. I seriously doubt that by January we will have incurred the financial penalty that ultimately we might incur or that's threatened. So I oppose the bracket motion because I want to direct or get a commitment out of the current administration that they're going to pursue a waiver as vigorously as possible. I think we either have to pursue a waiver, or we have to address this legislation. I don't think we can do nothing. I don't think we can simply sit. I don't think that's an acceptable solution, unless there is an indication from our federal representatives that they may come in and revise this federal legislation, and I have not heard that. So I suggest, and, Senator Brown,...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR BROMM: ...I want to tell you that I do appreciate you