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is the total amount of money that the state would have to send out to...for those child support payments? Are we paying a collection fee plus sending the money out for those insufficient funds?

SENATOR BROWN: What...what I meant is that they would recover some of that hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

SENATOR BOHLKE: And what would we pay them to recover that hundred and twenty thousand dollars? You mean that would be to...who...who would recover it?

SENATOR BROWN: Well, they would...they would go after the...the person who wrote the bad check, but it would take some time.

SENATOR BOHLKE: These 14 new employees?

SENATOR BROWN: No, no, no, they would probably...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BROWN: ...contract that out.

SENATOR BOHLKE: They would contract that out.

SENATOR BROWN: Um-hum.

SENATOR BOHLKE: So if they would contract that out, I'm assuming then there would have to be a cost because no one is going to do this out of the goodness of their heart.

SENATOR BROWN: Um-hum.

SENATOR BOHLKE: But we don't know what that cost is.

SENATOR BROWN: No. And...and...

SENATOR BOHLKE: And that's fine, Senator Brown. I wanted that on the record.

SENATOR BROWN: Okay.