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SENATOR JENSEN: ...to help those who see an opportunity where they could get into farming. I just don't know if this is...is the right tool to do that. And so I...I do want to proceed with caution and I don't know how I'll vote when it comes down to Final Reading. Perhaps someone can convince me that this is the right way to go. Until then, I certainly have an uneasiness about it. I share Senator Chambers' thoughts on...I think I do, where he is, and so I'll just listen to the remainder of the debate and just hope that this is the right way for Nebraska to go at this time. Thank you, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Jensen. Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES: Madam President and members of the body, I just want to talk a little bit more about the two amendments we're talking about. Reason I want to support Senator Wickersham's amendment, because that they can share between the two of them, the lessee and the lessor, and try to figure out some way so they could help and give an incentive to both sides. And, with that, I'd like to ask Senator Wehrbein a question, if I could.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Wehrbein, will you yield?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes.

SENATOR JONES: On the sharing between the lessor and the lessee, if they could work out something so that the renter of the property for the three years could get a break on his interest that he pays at the bank or something like that, would that help on your idea?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, I don't know how that's going to work. The 5 percent income tax credit isn't going to do much good for the young beginning farmer, that's only my point, where it may have some incentive for the older retiring farmer and time they split that, I don't think it's much of incentive, frankly.

SENATOR JONES: Can we increase that incentive above the five?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, that's another subject, but that's...be up to Senator Wickersham.