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else. If the...if we are saying to ourselves if a taxpayer overpays return the overpayment no matter when it is discovered, that is something that we could turn into a general principle. That could be a rule we would apply to everybody and if it's equitable it seems to me you would make that applicable to everybody by changing the statute of limitations law rather than saying, nope, the statute of limitations exists for everybody except for those people who have the temerity to come to the Legislature, make their claim, use this principle, reverse the norm that we do in the law, and secure payment from the Legislature for, in this case, the overpayment. My response is, I don't hear from the committee a rationale specific to this circumstance that requires individual justice. I do think that there's an argument that they make and that argument is overpayment should be treated differently than underpayments, and overpayments maybe should have a relaxed statute of limitations. But, to me, the response is not to respond to two taxpayers and to forget about it. To me, that is a principle that should be applied either to everyone or to no one. And this amendment doesn't fall into that situation, as yet, for me, as a rationale that requires a distinctive treatment in these situations as opposed to others. I don't think there's an open issue here. I'm...my heart goes out, but why wouldn't it go out to any other taxpayer similarly situated by what we've heard? And, if that's the case, the remedy is to change the law, not to make two payments.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Landis. Senator Schmitt.

SENATOR SCHMITT: Yes, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members, I just want to kind of answer a couple questions I think that came about here, one of Senator Janssen and I think possibly a response to Senator Redfield. The Record Printing Company had filed their claim with the State Claims Board and it was denied, so I think the next step they had was the appeal process to the Legislature, which they done. So it does, by statute, go to the Legislature for their decision on what happens here. In response to Senator Janssen's question as to why the overpayment, as I understand this from Mr. Mohanna, they were basically printing cookbooks, is what caused the problems. They were printing cookbooks for a nonprofit organization, churches,