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the task force, Judge Murphy; also, the second one was from county...Kent Turnbull, who is the County Attorney in Lincoln County.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay. And this task force was in place before this study was conducted, is that correct?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay, so in some sense this task force was about the job of directing this study?

SENATOR BOHLKE: I think they thought that they would be, that they would be able to articulate what should be included in the study, and then they felt that Mr. Wusk had not included what the task force had recommended.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay. And so this is consistent with...with what you read and that they...their complaint was not so much with the study but with their influence over what was to be included. Well, thank you, Senator Bohlke. I would...I would just like to mention that my, again, cursory look at the study, the three options they selected I thought were very sensible. They selected an option which was exactly consistent or very nearly exactly consistent with the federal mandate. They selected one that was less than consistent, if you will, that would require a waiver in order to be implemented, and then they also selected an option that went beyond what the federal mandate would require. So they sort of picked the middle of the target and then went on both sides. As I said before, they did what appeared to me to be a very careful analysis and a very analytical job of looking at costs per case. Their conclusions really were not surprising. They concluded that there are economies of size in providing child support services. They also concluded that there could be increased efficiencies due to use of more information technology. I think you can have confidence in these conclusions from two sources. One is, I think the study was well-done. The second is that these are not unusual conclusions. Quite often you come up with that result. Now, this may be the wrong answer, that might be part of the difficulty, wrong in sense of what some...some...someone might like to see, but I think that this is certainly a very