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says...property taxes have to be uniformly, proportionately valued and equalized across the state. And that value is what is so elusive. There is no magic number that's correct. The other part that I would tell you is, I...you won't have to worry about a veto. I mean, you can't...I don't think you can have a statute that reads like this that will work. And if the amendment is attached, obviously, you can't send the bill over to the Governor in any way, shape, or form. And whether he vetoes it or not, he'll never get the chance. But I think it's always appropriate and useful for people to talk about what is equalization and how does it work, and the process that goes about. And that's a decent and good discussion to have. But when you begin to put in amendments that...like these, that don't work or can't work, you'll just make the system work...you even add more unpredictability to the statutes, and you'll add more frustrations to it. The discussion is fine, but the amendment I can't support. And really, I know that the amendment is here to raise the level of awareness and try to educate people, but if you're seriously thinking about adopting this, we really do need to have a very hard look at how it would ever work, and it can't in its present form. Thank you.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you. Senator Quandahl.

SENATOR QUANDAH: Thank you, Mr. President. I guess I would respond to a couple of the questions or points that were brought up in the course of the discussion. Senator Lynch asked if the TERC bases its findings strictly on what the property tax administrator finds. And I believe that the way that it works is, is that the TERC actually bases its findings on not only what the property tax administrator submits to the TERC, but also on other evidence that's gathered at the time. For example, a week and a half ago or two weeks ago, when Douglas County was before the TERC, not only the property tax administrator's findings went before the board, but also the testimony of the current Douglas County assessor, and a couple of the Douglas County commissioners were also considered by the TERC. So it's not based entirely on the findings of the property tax administrator. That is a part of the puzzle, but it's not the entire thing. I guess another thing that I would say that in just...in looking at the amendment, is that I don't believe that it really adds a whole lot to what we already have