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liable, and if the committee is out of money and bankrupt then it may be that there's no way to disclose...to enforce the accountability law because the committee simply has no money. So, with respect to the large ballot issue committees, it requires a \$5,000 bond to be filed in a certain number of days after you raise \$100,000, and then for incremental increases as shown on page 3 or page 2 of the committee amend...of the amendment the bond would be required to be increased \$5,000 for each additional \$500,000 raised. So this bonding provision applies only to the very large committees. The other thing that it does, because there are...they're having trouble getting people to pay penalties and fines on time, is that it allows for interest to be paid on the late fees and penalties, and that particular provision is shown on pages 3, 4 and 5. And what it says is that interest shall accrue on all late filing fees at the legal rate, but the interest doesn't accrue until the commission has given notice of the late filing fee or penalty, civil penalty, so there's that protection built in. And then it provides for a stay in the accrual of interest of a late filing fee until such time as the commission grants or denies the request if there's any question as to the legitimacy of the fine itself. And, beyond that, it also says that the commission has the power for any good reason to waive the paying of interest if they see that it's not appropriate in a particular case. So that's what it does. I wanted to bring to your attention the exhibits that I passed out because they kind of make the case for...for being careful here and putting some guidelines into the law. As you can see, on the top page of your handouts is a list of pending late fees and penalties, and you can see, for example, that with respect to the Citizens for Nebraska's Future, which was the 413 Committee of last year, that they have nearly \$30,000 in penalties outstanding, and that particular committee now has no funds in the committee. So that raises the question of how do you enforce...how...is the disclosure law going to become a joke because there's no way of enforcing it? I wanted to show you the letter that was received from the attorney for the committee that owes this \$30,000, which says to the commission: Thank you for your letter. It is my understanding that the committee has no assets or cash on hand, nor are there any prospects for raising any funds. The committee intends to dissolve. Well, that doesn't say with finality whether they will pay or not, but it certainly gives