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examining cost per student, adjusted cost per student numbers for various size school systems. In other words, I tried to pick the point at which costs seemed to be declining or seemed to stop declining, flatten out and begin to go up, and to basically choose a scale co...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Time.

SENATOR RAIKES: ...scale...sorry.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Connealy.

SENATOR CONNEALY: Thank you. Senator Raikes, ask a question? On the schools that are on...allowed growth more than the 3 percent, is that still under the lid? If you've got a school like Maxwell that's allowed to grow at 14 percent more, is that going to still be with under the lid though?

SENATOR RAIKES: That's...that's the intent, Senator, yes.

SENATOR CONNEALY: And will that catch those school districts that have 10-14 percent growth? That would limit them, wouldn't it?

SENATOR RAIKES: Actually, there's additional growth allowed for increasing student numbers.

SENATOR CONNEALY: But the pure...per pupil cost would stay and so they could be caught under the...

SENATOR RAIKES: Yes, this...

SENATOR CONNEALY: ...under the lid...

SENATOR RAIKES: ...this is a...

SENATOR CONNEALY: ...and allowable growth is on spending, not on the lid.

SENATOR RAIKES: Right, this does...you're right. This is budget lid exemption. It is not a levy lid exemption. But keep in mind now when we calculate resources in the aid formula, none