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the issue as whether sales tax would have to be charged on these fees for copies? Now I say that based on an actual experience that I understand that instructions have gone to the county courts to charge sales tax on photocopies, which seems to me to be rather picayune; it's often two or three cents on a copy that they charge 50 cents for. I wonder if that has been considered as...as one of the ramifications of this bill?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: I don't believe it's been considered in sufficient depth in order to be able to respond to your question. But I can assure you I appreciate your having raised it, and it will be pursued, and we'll be definitive between now and Select File.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Matzke. Senator Jones, on the Brashear amendment to the committee amendments to LB 628.

SENATOR JONES: Mr. President and members of the body, I'd just like to make a comment, and then I might ask Brashear what he thinks about the idea. I did receive a letter from a constituent in one of the courthouses in my district. And I just might...just read the last paragraph, what they said. I foresee many problems in the public, if the public have the right to unreasonable demand on our time and resources, should this bill be allowed to pass. There are times of the year when we are so busy in meeting mandates and deadlines, we could have...have that extra time to devote for this issue, especially if we had a lot of permits or, you know, copies to make all at once. And real estate, including the property, would be in the maps and so forth like that would be mentioned in it. I just wonder if the three days, or could we change it to a five-day working day time? I guess there was a little discussion on that with Senator Hartnett's comments. Would you comment on the five days over the three days.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Brashear, would you yield?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Mr. President. Senator Jones, I understand your concern, and of course it's appropriate. I think we've anticipated it. The three days is the specified period. But by simply saying it cannot be done in three days, and by projecting how many days it will take and advising the