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SENATOR CUDABACK: Would you respond, Senator Wehrbein?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Knowing that certainly you've had a discussion of this in the committee when you look at the cost overruns and what's happened, did anyone come and say here we have...factually can tell you some of the reasons why these costs have gone up? Have they presented numbers?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: No, I cannot recall, and maybe someone else could help me. I don't remember any specifics. We got a little more into detail on the child...child health care, the Medicaid part, more than we did on the child care, except some of the generalities that we've talked about increase...but I can't recall any details of why. One of the reasons the bill was introduced, it was kind of done at the last minute because...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...we hadn't recognized the huge increase in costs. They were going up all fall, but we had no idea they were this big until actually early January.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, thank you, Senator Wehrbein, and I thought that was probably it. The other thing, we could assume the increase in Medicaid. That's a fairly easy assumption. And so, Senator Jensen, on...when you have...I know you have your light on, my question is do we have this in the wrong order? Should we not know before we place something in statute what the factors are and exactly? And then perhaps something needs to be directed in a more specific area that we may not even be considering. And so I'll be listening but, at this point, I agree with the previous speakers in my concern with the committee amendments without the amendments that are going to be presented by Senator Beutler and Senator Jensen that improve it. But, still, I have...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SENATOR BOHLKE: ...some real doubts until we have the study completed. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bohlke. Senator Schimek,