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expense...what I want to do is pose a few questions, if Senator Brashear would yield and enter into a brief question and answer period here to clarify how this bill will actually work. The original...one of the original amendments, it says actual cost shall not include the salary of public employees. In this case, because it's a small office with three or four women, there just simply...they'd have to hire extra help to produce these copies in the form in which they are kept. I would ask Senator Brashear, that provision has been changed, has it not, in...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Do you yield to a question, Senator Brashear?

SENATOR MATZKE: ...one of the later amendments?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Senator Cudaback. Senator Matzke, yes, it's reasonable actual cost and so if, in fact, the custodian cannot, with the four employees that the custodian presently has, generate the copy and has to hire extra help, as would be understandable for such an enormous request as you've used or identified, then that cost of that additional help is going to be there.

SENATOR MATZKE: Thank you. My next question is, under your amendment which was just passed, I understand that the...that the official, a public official would have four days to respond, and if they cannot furnish the copies within four days, they have the opportunity to explain why that is not possible and give an estimate of the cost. Is that correct or would you expand on that?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: That is correct. They do have four days in which to respond. If they cannot complete the request as certainly could not be done in the instance you are talking about, they would have an opportunity to respond that they could not. They would have to estimate when they could, and I think there is nothing that requires them to error on the side of too brief a period of time. They have to operate in good faith, but to copy every one of those records as you have identified them in Cheyenne County Treasurer's Office would be an enormous task.

SENATOR MATZKE: Thank you. One...a couple of more questions, if you will. These records are kept in hard copy, not on floppy