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SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Could you tell me who owns the Sheldon Art Gallery?

SENATOR CROSBY: University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

SENATOR SUTTLE: The university does.

SENATOR CROSBY: Right. University of Nebraska.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Ultimately the state owns it, is that correct?

SENATOR CROSBY: Right, right, state-owned property.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Do...do you understand why they are not under the 309 Committee?

SENATOR CROSBY: They do have some 309 money, Senator Suttle,...

SENATOR SUTTLE: Okay, but they do...

SENATOR CROSBY: ...and they have been working in increments through 309 to get some of the things done that need to be done to that building, yeah.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Okay.

SENATOR CROSBY: Right.

SENATOR SUTTLE: I just wanted to clear that up to make sure...

SENATOR CROSBY: Right. I should have mentioned that earlier.

SENATOR SUTTLE: ...that...that we have been putting some money in this. If we don't do anything else today, I want the mentally health...the mentally ill dealt with in a fair way. If you all decide to...to vote down the Appropriation package, I...I plan to support the package, but if you don't, I certainly hope you will look at the pending motions that are after this and think seriously about the mentally ill people in this state. They cannot help their plight. There is a crisis, not only in