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way back, a long time ago, I did introduce a homestead exemption bill and at that time the Revenue Committee just about turned wrong side out because it was going to cost \$6 million. And what that did was change the valuations a little and change the income level a little, because there were people who were losing it, losing the exemption, because of valuations and so on. The one thing I tell to groups of all kinds, and maybe we should all think about this today, too, when you give the homestead exemption, all of these exemptions and all of these things and when you look at the percentage pies as to where the tax money goes, our General Funds, the money that we put in here for homestead exemptions, the state makes up that money and sends it back to the county. And I think people forget that because in the long run all of our taxes do pay for these exemptions, and it's spread out probably in a little different percentage way, but I think we all need to remember that. So when you're at the end of the session here, I get a little nervous of whamming things in and saying, we'll do this quickly because it needs to be done. I think in the interim you young men who are trying to do something here for your constituents, for the burns victim and those people, need to look at the whole homestead exemption law and refine it in the way that you think it needs to be refined. But remember that the state sends that money back to the subdivision. It doesn't just go away. The state has to send the money back, so it does cost. It costs the state. That's how we get involved in the property tax, trying to relieve the...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR CROSBY: ...property tax payments. So thanks, Senator Wickersham. I just wanted to be sure I understood how we got to where we are. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Crosby. On the advancement of LB 1279, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I'm not as quite...I'm not quite as forgiving as Senator Crosby. She's not going to come back but I am, and I have to end the session as I began it. That means holding to that which I think is proper and right for me to hold to. I don't know whether