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SENATOR CUDABACK: So \$700,000, that is what we will have left if we transfer these dollars?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes, and I can't remember, there's some odd dollars on that, but it would leave a balance of \$700,000.

SENATOR CUDABACK: And you think that might be adequate for that hardship?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, we all hope it would be adequate, that there wouldn't be something larger than that. And if something were of more significance than that, I would imagine that, you know, they might do a combination of going to the bank or using this.

SENATOR CUDABACK: I just want to make sure that there will be dollars there. I guess my point is, I want to make sure that there are dollars there. We promised these people that there would be a so-called insurance policy there for the schools that actually were. And we all know how that happened last year. It was an unfortunate accident. It wasn't an accident, I guess. An incident, or whatever, took place there, but it did happen. And those schools were misled to believe they had more money...more dollars than they actually had. So, with that, I thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes. Mr. Speaker, members, I'm going to spend just a little time doing what I...explaining what I understand the way this is. And I want to emphasize, I found this note in my file from last...the 6th, whichever day that was, Thursday, suggesting, from a school superintendent, that there might be money in the Hardship Fund to fund a reunification fund. I forgot about it till I opened my file this afternoon, and I decided that I would bring it up, because I do think the reunification issue is something that we should continue to keep our faith with. And so I made a hurried call downstairs. And this is a Hardship Cash Fund. In it, at this present time, is \$2,865,246.71. Up until this point, it has been unused. So I offer this as a suggestion to the body and to