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be penalized. It may not ever happen. Most contractors aren't...I mean, you know, what can you say? They do good work. They won't have to have a reinspection, or a third inspection. That would be only for people like me who don't know how to do it, you know, and they have to come back five or six times and reinspect me. But this is not a...you know. I mean, I don't know what else to say here. It's just this simple, that they don't have the dollars to have the 15...15 inspectors for all of Nebraska. How large is Nebraska? Omaha to Scottsbluff to the Kansas boarder to the...what is that? That's a lot of territory. For this many dollars? I don't know. You know? I may be in there...I may be here when I come back to ask for another increase. I'm here for another four years, God willing, and...or somebody else. But anyway, that's all I can say.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. (Visitors introduced.) The next speaker is Senator Janssen, followed by Connealy, Pedersen, Dwite Pedersen, and Jones.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Schimek, members of the body. For your information, inspections, under the State Electrical Act, do not apply in a county or a city or a village which has passed, by resolution, an ordinance standard for electrical wiring. The only time when the inspections, under State Electrical Act, do apply, they are required for new electrical installations on commercial, industrial, and public use buildings. New electrical installations for residential buildings if they are adding a new electrical service. So this is not...let's not get ahead of the...get the cart ahead of the horse here. This is a good bill. Senator Cudaback has brought bills for the State Electrical Board for years. This is something that we all need to realize, it's for our own protection and for the public's protection. We aren't doing this for the people who are sitting on the Electrical Board. We're doing it to ensure the safety of those people who go into public buildings, for the safety of the people in their own homes. And if...most counties and cities and villages have electrical standards that they go by. So like Senator Cudaback says, we're not inventing the wheel here. We're trying to ensure that the State Electrical Board has sufficient funds to operate. They are appointed by the administration. They do a