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nuclear plant any more...as cheaply as another not for profit.

SENATOR SCHROCK:    If you're trying to establish that we've had management problems down there, I think you're probably correct in that assumption. I think NPPD has had problems down there. I don't think there's any doubt about it or we wouldn't be here today.

SENATOR BEUTLER:    Well, I'm trying to explore the dimensions of the problem, because if we don't understand the nature of the problem, it's hard to make a judgment about the nature of the solution, I think. But if...I think other information that would be interesting to know is what the insurance is going to cost us because, as I understand what you're saying, we're indemnifying the not for profit against any judgments against them with respect to damages for negligence or accidents, right? And if we are indemnifying them, then we still have to continue to have the insurance. Would that be accurate?

SENATOR SCHROCK:    That is correct. It does not absolve them from willful negligence.

SPEAKER BROMM:    One minute.

SENATOR BEUTLER:    From what?

SENATOR SCHROCK:    From willful negligence.

SENATOR BEUTLER:    Will...

SENATOR SCHROCK:    Or willful misconduct would be a better word to say, I'm told.

SENATOR BEUTLER:    Willful misconduct?

SENATOR SCHROCK:    Right. It does not absolve them from willful misconduct.

SENATOR BEUTLER:    Well, let's take the question of willful misconduct, for example. If they're willfully...if some employee of theirs does something that's willfully...an