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SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...total taxable compensation paid to all employees employed at the project; total full-time equivalent employees; average compensation for the current year; total full-time equivalent employees for the base year; taxable compensation in current year to nonresident employees hired after the base year; the total eligible current year compensation paid; the average compensation paid to the base-year employees; the cost of qualified property incorporated into or used at the LB 775 project; the total average net annual lease or rent expense for qualified property; the total number of employee hours paid per year; the number of full-time equivalent employees per year; and the increase of base-year employees as a result of transfers to the project. In addition, we require certain property tax exemption information,...

SPEAKER BROMM: Time.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...which I'm sure I'll have to specify later. Thank you.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Brashear. (Visitors introduced.) Senator Raikes.

SENATOR RAIKES: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature. I'd like to remind you of the general topic here, is that of disclosure. Now we've kind of, I think, been led to believe that really what we're talking about here is somehow adding a penalty to qualifiers for LB 775 by asking them to disclose something. I would argue that that is not at all the case, and quite frankly I'm very appreciative of Senator Redfield's comments because I think she got onto this track. What we're talking about is the information you need in order to make a prudent decision. That's what we're talking about. We're talking about the best...or making use of the information we have available from these companies on these projects so you can make a good decision about what we should do, not only with existing programs but also about any decisions about new programs. Let me read you from the intent language from LB 1373, enacted in 1996: It is the intent of the Legislature to accurately and objectively measure the costs and benefits of tax incentives granted by state and local governments to