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idea to just wait and see what the federal government does; see if the federal government's plan makes sense. We're talking about interstate commerce. I mean, certainly we can control what goes on in Nebraska's borders, but doesn't it make sense that if the federal government has control over all the states, they've had hearings on this, they've implemented a policy and a procedure that very well could solve the problem and, check this out, at no expense to the state of Nebraska? Again, we are facing a budget deficit, as you all know, of \$800 million. I know \$3 per phone bill isn't much; \$84,000 additional cost to the Public Service Commission, it isn't that much money. But it just doesn't make sense. You know, we're trying to move towards a more efficient state government rather than add to our duties that duplicate federal law. And, again, I want to point out, I've got a copy of an article here that I can show anyone who's interested. The federal gov...or, excuse me, the state of California adopted a no-call list and I assume it's similar to what we're contemplating. As soon as they realized that the federal government did it, they backed off. They said, let's wait and see and then we will merge and dovetail our law, like Senator Smith mentioned, with the federal one. That seems to make sense to me. I would like to see us come through this budget deficit with a more...

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR BOURNE: ...a more efficient government, perhaps a reduced size of government. I don't know what that...what number that is. I don't know. But it just doesn't make sense to me that two months away from when the federal government is implementing a no-call list that we rush in and add additional laws to our state when the federal government's laws could very well take care of this. Senator Baker, Senator Smith have not explained why we need to do this at this time. They have not explained why the federal government's law won't take care of this problem, and I think that they have an obligation to share with us why the federal government doesn't know what they're doing in this situation, why we need additional state laws, why we need to spend additional state money to take care of a problem that it appears to me that the federal government is addressing.