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inflicted, not only from the state, but from the federal government also, the hardships we had placed on those schools and the demands that we had made to them on what they should do with their system of education. So I truly believe that the \$1.04...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SENATOR JANSSEN: ...will not be abused. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Janssen. (Visitors introduced.) Senator Beutler, on the committee amendments. And this will be your third time, Senator.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, I just wanted to encourage you to take a look at page 21 of the gold booklet, because it really kind of gives you a very good idea of the different categories where we did the cutting, and what particular categories came out well and which ones didn't. But it will inform your judgment to see the variations. That is, you know, it was very difficult to make heavy cuts in some areas; in other areas it was more easily done. Under the area of agency operations, this page is broken down by three categories. The state agency operations, then the state aid to individuals, and then state aid to local government are the three major categories. And you can see under agency operations, that is, state agencies, the university, at the end of this two-year cycle, will have...in the second year of the two-year cycle, will basically have less money than it had two years before. So they took an outright cut. And if you look down a little bit, you'll see other 41 agencies. So most of the agencies of state government also took an outright cut, and in the second year of the biennium will be spending less than they were two years earlier. But if you look at...in the right-hand column, at the percentages where we increased spending the most, you'll see that under Corrections it's 8.4 percent. Now, do you think anybody on Appropriations wanted to (laugh) increase the Corrections budget by 8.4 percent? Obviously not. Nonsense. But you know how we got there? We got there because we have a new prison system, increased costs. How did we get a new prison system? Well, you and I increased penalties a lot over the