distinction you're making with regard to the two types of major renovations, and that all makes some sense to me. I wanted to also focus a little bit though on subsection (f) on page 1, line 16, which is that kind of major renovation that involves renovation of no less than 75 percent of the property and requires the filing of a notice by the contractor. Are you following with me?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Brashear.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Mr. President. Yes, Senator Beutler, I am.

SENATOR BEUTLER: And I think Senator Jensen asked you some questions with regard to the notice, and they got to part of what I wanted to ask about but not all of it. You indicated that that notice...that the exemption is conditioned upon the notice says the language here, and that the notice is from the contractor with regard to the nature of the project and explanation of why it's exempt. I think you indicated that the notice should come before the work on the project begins. Could the notice come at some point while the work was in progress, or is that...is it your intent that that notice should be filed before work begins?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Senator Beutler, you're drawing me into this. I'm going to be...I think that's a perfect example of why we will need in the area that people are very technical about, like collecting and remitting and paying sales tax, we will need rules and regulations. But we clearly all know and can state for the record...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: ...what the purpose of the notice is. The purpose of the notice is to establish the fact that sales tax will not be collected on the project. So clearly the notice needs to be effected prior to the presentation and collection for...of payment for the first billing,...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay