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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Is this a revenue generator, the way it's written, with this fee increase?

SENATOR BAKER: The overall fiscal note, yes, does generate some revenue. Not much. But I wouldn't attribute that part of the revenue increase to this particular fee we're increasing. It would be more the batch records that are going to make more money.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: When Senator Schrock brings us bills for Game and Parks, he knows that I'm going to scrutinize fees. So this is not a new thing for me to do. I see fee increases, I see surcharges, as taxes. I saw where the Governor, the current Governor, the sure-enough Governor, and Squire Wehrbein said that taxes won't be reduced. Now, I just read the headline. That could be incorrect. I meant, would not be increased. I see a fee increase as a tax increase, unless you're going to say that no revenue for the state is generated. To me, a tax is a revenue generator. I will make an exception where it's like a user fee, where you are paying the cost of the service you are obtaining, and it is a service you request voluntarily, not one that you're required to request. Who can tell us how much it costs DMV to...

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...pull this record up?

SENATOR BAKER: Is that a question of me, Senator?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Senator Baker.

SENATOR BAKER: I would assume if we get with the right people in DMV, they can give us an estimate for a particular record process.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And before I begin to attack it, would you assure me that you will get that information?