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statute. We are following those. And you're going to eliminate option choices for how many parents? No option-in students at Dawson County schools have been turned away in the last three and a half years, as far as the Dawson County Class I administrator, Mr. Kenneth O'Mara, knows. Some option students are nonwhites and their requests are granted. They can option into these Class I schools. Dawson County Class I's poverty students do not register on Senator Raikes' index of free and reduced lunch eligibility because most of those schools don't serve lunch. Students bring their lunches from home, as they have for generations. If lunch is arranged or provided, none of the schools seek reimbursement from the state. Senator Raikes, do you know why at District 15 there is an \$11,000 per pupil cost at that school?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Is that a question, Senator Hudkins?

SENATOR HUDKINS: Yes.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Would you yield, Senator Raikes?

SENATOR RAIKES: You're talking about the budgeted amount per student, the amount that was in the tax asking on the Class I, and I believe you said in Dawson County?

SENATOR HUDKINS: At District 15 school, you noted they had a high budgeted cost per pupil of nearly \$11,000. Do you know why?

SENATOR RAIKES: Yeah, and certainly I'm not saying that's the highest one in the state, you understand.

SENATOR HUDKINS: All right. Thank you.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay.

SENATOR HUDKINS: I'll tell you why. Senator Raikes obviously doesn't know about the situation in District 15. There is a family there that had three special needs children. They have a very rare genetic disorder. I can't even pronounce the name of it, but there are only 30 of them in the entire country. One