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prepare the way so you can be thinking about how we're going to get this done. I don't want there to be a gap between the child needing the exam, and it's mandated by law; the parents being unable to have it done; the school giving information but the information says what we don't know. We don't know what they will put in it. So I want, if possible, something to be there that is a bridge all the way across for the child. Then, between the school and whomever, negotiations have to be had for the pay, will happen in that manner, not involving the parents.

SENATOR BYARS: You know, I certainly want to make this the broadest piece of legislation. I want to make this the easiest way for these families to access these treatments, if that's necessary, and appropriate exam also. How we do that I'm...at this point, I don't have all of everything in my head that I think needs to be there, and as we discuss here for a little while, I think I'll start to gel and then we can come together, I'm very confident. If we can move this bill to Select File, and you know my word, that I'll work very hard to get appropriate language so that we have everybody on the same page, Senator. I'll work very hard to do that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And to show how much I think of you and trust you, Senator Byars, I've never believed that yarn about Abraham Lincoln walking 20 miles to give a penny back to somebody that he shouldn't have gotten,...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...but I do believe you.

SENATOR BYARS: Thank you, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Further discussion? Senator Kruse.

SENATOR KRUSE: Thank you, Mr. President and members. A word to Senator Chambers and Senator Byars, if I might interrupt your conversation with each...don't...no questions. Just a quick