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nuts, we'd all have a Merry Christmas. I suppose, we have to deal with what we got right now, and what we got right now, I suppose, we can think about what might have been if we could have just had one casino at the border to capture a little bit of revenue that's going over there, to be used to treat these people with. But, no, we don't have that now. And again, that is another decision that was made last year, not just by us, you know, but by the people. There are many, many, many Nebraska cars over there. You call 1-800-Bets-Off, like they tell you on their radio commercials on KFAB in Omaha, they will not pay for a Nebraska gambler to be assisted. They will only help you if you are an Iowan. Iowa is bleeding us dry at the expense and on the backs of these problem gamblers. What do they do with the revenue that they get from us that we could be using to treat these people with? They're expanding their casinos. Just as soon as that went down in Nebraska, they approved I don't know how many million dollar expansions for Harrah's and these places over there. They waited to see what happened over here. Why? Because they're going to get more money from us now. And that they've taken the lake that our people are drowning in and they're making an ocean over there for them. So what's that going to do over here? We must take care of these people. We have to. They are not going away. We cannot wish them away. They will be in our welfare offices. They will be needing assistance. We're going to have to have money to pay for them. We have \$7.5 million short right now with this paltry amount that we are going to, hopefully, approve for them. And we've got spiraling Medicaid costs already. So, like I said, if ifs and buts were candy and nuts, we'd all have a Merry Christmas. We ain't there now, so we can't waste a lot of energy. You know, we got to fix what we got, where we are. So it's not who's right; it's what's right. Try to do the right thing. Go where we are from here and get these people treatment so they don't end up on the social rolls and the additional expense on our Medicaid program. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Combs. Senator Jensen.

SENATOR JENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President. I...when we passed LB 1083 last year, we, as part of that, we did some reform also of our addiction services throughout the state, and I think that