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don't want to take too much of your time so signal if I am.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: That's okay. Take it.

SPEAKER BRASHEAR: But you can put an appropriation in the case law. Let's understand how this...this is the sausage-making process of legislating. Because I was trying to accommodate Senator Schrock's concern that we mandate a facilitator, then that requires the money. So then the money...then, when we found out the Nebraska Information and Technology Commission doesn't have the money...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SPEAKER BRASHEAR: ...to successfully fulfill a mandated and required facilitator, that has created this circumstance. If the money goes away, then I would...the only thing I'd ask is that the mandatory facilitation go away and let the problem be solved another way.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I will wait until I'm recognized before I proceed further. Thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, Senator Brashear and Senators Pederson and Wehrbein.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. (Visitors introduced.) On with discussion. Senator Chambers. Senator Chambers, you're recognized.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, if Senator Brashear and those he has talked to have convinced him that this is all right, let him have what he wants. But I think what we're going to have to do, as a Legislature, is make some determinations. Earlier in the session, people agreed to strike language that related to obligating the Legislature to do certain things as far as finances out of a bill. Now this goes beyond an obligation which is to be carried out by way of an A bill. There have been discussions of language which would say that a certain amount of money was going to be made available for certain programs such as reimbursing counties. And it was not believed by anybody that that language in positive legislation automatically appropriated the money for that purpose. Now we all knc. that