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that it has to be reasonable. The only thing that I would...would Senator Wehrbein respond to one more question?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes.

SENATOR BROWN: The programs...the plants that receive credits, do those plants pay income tax or, since many of them also receive other credits, are they not paying income tax? Are you aware?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I don't know to what extent they are, because some are using LB 775. I understand some did not use LB 775 at all.

SENATOR BROWN: Okay.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: So it varies among the plants and I don't know those details.

SENATOR BROWN: Well, I think it would be interesting to know whether the state is getting some tax from the fairly sweet deal that the plants got in terms of the credits.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, I'm sure they would, and they'd have the peripheral issues. I know there's property tax that is being paid locally in the hundreds of thousands, because we had one example...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...a year ago that they're definitely paying property taxes.

SENATOR BROWN: Well, yeah, hundreds of thousands, though, compared to the \$10 million that we're talking about here is... (Laugh)

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Oh, I know, but that...it's a significant amount in small communities.