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just a little heed to your rate payer because it is kind of a mystery to me at this moment, and has been for quite a while, where this extra money is going to. If it is available, perhaps we should use it as revenues.

SPEAKER: The chair recognizes the Senator from South Sioux City.

SENATOR MURPHY: There you go. A question of Senator Goodrich.

SPEAKER: Do you yield, Senator Goodrich?

SENATOR GOODRICH: Yes.

SENATOR MURPHY: Senator Goodrich, will you assure me one more time that some place down the road this bill is not going to permit a situation which might be a spin off from what Senator Kelly was saying, that there would be a falling out between our municipals and our REA's and our Nebraska Public Power System and these people then, under this bill, proceed to establish their own transmission and generation facilities identical to, parallel to and at the cost of the general tax paying and rate paying public. Is there something in this bill, is there a control somewhere that says, no, we will not permit, under any circumstance, a 69KV line to be built right along side an existing 69KV line.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Yes, there is provision as I referred to in Page 14. The bill provides that if, for example, this power generated from this generating facility that is going to be joint venture built, if that power is going to be transmitted, we will say to Grand Island or whatever it is, that power can...if they, for example, can agree with the people that own the line that yes, they have the capacity and yes, it would not disrupt their power needs if we sent this over this particular line, then they shall use that line, the existing facility. Now if, for example, if it would disrupt that owner of that line or his delivery of power to his customers, then they jointly agree, no, it can't go over this line. We must build a separate one. If there is any disagreement between the parties on this issue, that does go to the Power Review Board for determination. Now that is the way it is right now. For example, the Power Review Board is the reviewing body that reviews all of the disputes among power districts, for example, and they actually render a decision. You will probably recall that we get a copy of the annual report of the Power Review Board each year, just mailed to us as a courtesy. Out of all of the cases that have been appealed to the Power Review Board, there is only about 8 or 10 of them that have ever been settled by them that the people were not satisfied with. Now if the people are not satisfied with the way the Power Review Board solved it, they then go direct to the Supreme Court for a determination and it is extremely rare that the Power Review Board is ever overridden. They are a very effective and a very useful tool, as to settling disputes between the two people.

SENATOR MURPHY: I guess I am addressing myself to a situation where whether or not the wheeling capacity is there or not that another group would elect to simply create their own generation and transmission facilities, notwithstanding the availability of existing facilities.

SENATOR GOODRICH: They can't do it. No way they can do it.