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SENATOR BOHLKE: Actually, age 3 to 18 and Nebraska has been, actually as a cost-savings, would argue that we have done it from 0 to...not the 21, but certainly 0 to 18.

SENATOR BROMM: Right. Has any cost study been done that you would know of to look at the impact of reducing the inclusion over age 18 and taking it back to age 18 and going from 0 to 18, instead of 0 to 21?

SENATOR BOHLKE: We could...it would really, I don't think, be a reduction in state costs because we would just then shift it to Health and Human Services and the cost that those students...that they would be, whether it would be through Job Service,...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Time.

SENATOR BOHLKE: ...a number of things who would pick...

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Senator Kristensen, you are recognized.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature. Senator Bohlke, I do believe that this is...judging from a number of questions that have been held this morning, I...since this might be your last year...well, you never know. Never say never. But you have some unique historical perspective that I think you need to share with us that I think is helpful. And Senator Bromm started to touch on that fact. A lot of this has become a money issue, people concerned. I...no one is going to argue that the special education children at this point don't need those services, that they're not good services. It my understanding though that when people talk about the mandate, the mandate is not on the state to pay for it. The mandate is on the school district to provide the service. And the issue has always become, well, if we're going to have levy limits and spending limitations, then should those be inside or outside of the lid, and how do we pay for those? And so the schools have come and said, similar to...broadcasters have come to the Revenue Committee and said, federal mandate for our equipment that we have to do. This is