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uncover anything that is uncomplimentary and so the thing is going from bad to worse. It is a real bad situation. I hope that if you have this occasion that you can write to your Congressman, ask what is going on. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Do we have other motions on the desk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I move--read. Signed, Senator Goodrich.

PRESIDENT: The chair recognizes Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President, and members of the body, this is not a Resolution. This is a motion and it comes as a result of the information just having reached us in the last couple of days. What it boils down to is that in Lincoln, there are three hospitals that have nurses training, or at least, had. One is Bryan, one is St. E's, and the other one is Lincoln General. St. Elizabeth has closed their School of Nurses Training. Bryan and Lincoln General are in the process of closing theirs and the last class will graduate in '76. Now the problem is that in Lincoln, the three hospitals that had nursing schools have been discussing with the University the implementation of a nurses training program at the University and the academic side of nurses training would be handled at the University. The clinical side of nurses training would still be in the hospitals. There are adequate hospitals here in Lincoln to provide the clinical training for nurses. However, as an...with an agreement between the three hospitals and the University, they have been working on this thing for a year now and they have come to this solution except for the fact that the other day, Gus Lieske wrote a letter to the University which, in effect, and I will read the first paragraph of it and this letter was distributed this morning along with a copy of the motion. So you have it on your desk and it says that it is a rare occasion when it becomes necessary to recommend disapproval of a federal fund application and then it continues on to say that he disagrees with the program that the University and the three hospitals in Lincoln have worked out. Now what it boils down to is, the hospitals themselves in training the nurses run a deficiency in the school and this deficiency amounts to between \$3.50 and \$4.00 per day that each patient has to pay extra to support the nurses training program that is maintained by that hospital. What we are trying to do in this motion is merely instruct the University to go ahead with the program of nurses training regardless of the letter that they received from Gus Lieske saying, don't even apply for the federal funds to do it with. Now the money involved is approximately \$31, 750.00 of state funds which we are not in this motion appropriating. They are instructed, if you will refer to the motion, they are being instructed to dig up that \$31,000 from whatever source they can, whether it be discretionary funds or whether it be federal funds or whether it be private sources, whatever they can...wherever they can get it. The \$31,000 they can get anywhere they can and this would attract \$114,000 in federal funds, \$64,000 of which would be for program operation in the first year and \$50,000 of it would be used for remodeling the building in which the nurses training program will be operated. There is approximately one million dollars worth of federal funds at stake over a five year period. The figures I am quoting to you are a single year period only. This is the first year, in other words, so it would be \$31,757, to be exact, from the local sources, whatever they can dig it out and \$114,000 federal funds but what it boils down to is that since the nurses training programs in Lincoln are being discontinued, there will be no nurses training in Lincoln after 1976 unless the University gets started with this program and gets started with it this coming semester. It takes three years for these nurses to