

it is the difference in rates, I believe Herb, the rates that you have projected is like 1 and 3. One percent sales tax and three income tax, is that correct?

SENATOR DUIS: Approximately land 4.

SENATOR WARNER: Well our staff has been projecting 1 and 5 under 772, which wouldn't quite jive, because there is more difference in that than in the dollar amount but that is the projections that the staff has given me, and I think that that is my personal position is for a higher level of state support.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis, we are under a call of the house.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Duis' amendment if you want a lower level of state support.

SENATOR MARVEL: Let me see if I can summarize this and understand what has been said up till now. I have got to wait until Senator Duis gets out of conference. This amendment will increase the state support from 35 to 55 million the first year, and up to 120 million the second year. Is this substantially correct?

SENATOR WARNER: That is correct.

SENATOR MARVEL: Alright now, when we talk about, lets clarify this. When we talk about equalization and foundation, your bill moves the percentage back to the foundation which tends to benefit Senator Whitney, and higher equalizations tends to benefit schools like Omaha, Lincoln and Hastings, etc. Is this generally correct?

SENATOR DUIS: Senator Marvel, I'm not trying to benefit Senator Whitney or anybody else. I'm just trying to merely equalize it between the two. One benefits more than the other either way. This is an effort to equalize it more than it was equalized.

SENATOR MARVEL: If there is more money in the bill if there is more money in equalization than the larger school districts tend to support the bill, is this a correct statement.

SENATOR DUIS: Not exactly Senator Marvel, we find that our larger school districts tend to support what we have also. We haven't found any great decent.

SENATOR MARVEL: OK.

PRESIDENT: OK, any further discussion? Senator Nore do you have another question?

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President, I would like to have the question answered that Senator Marvel asked that the situation now is 40-60 and now is 60 foundation? As it is now, or is it the...

PRESIDENT: Are you directing your question to Senator Marvel? Senator Marvel, Senator Nore has a question, or do you direct it to...