

government that stands and sits in this Chamber. It has happened. There are in the rural area of Nebraska, many county employees that when it comes time for them to retire are going to have such a low income they are going to be eligible for welfare at the county level. They are going to be eligible for food stamps at the county level, the state level, and I would suggest to you, Senator Haberman, that they might be a burden to that county at that time if this isn't done. So it might be well for us to think about it in those kind of lights, that if we don't do it this way, we'll be picking up the tab another way. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Abboud, please.

SENATOR ABBOUD: Call the question.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. We are voting to cease debate. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Debate has ceased. Senator Haberman, would you like to close, please?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Yes, may I ask a question of Senator Wesely, please?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Wesely, would you respond, please.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Senator Wesely, on the A bill why are we taking this out of the school expense cash fund?

SENATOR WESELY: It is because the administrative cost of this program, they put all the money in the school expense fund for a lot of different funds, then they pull it out of there, but it is really the county money. It's all put in one area.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Okay. Second question, the fiscal note shows \$73,000 for the first year. Your A bill only shows \$34,000. Where is the other \$40,000 going to come from?

SENATOR WESELY: We think that was fluff. The fiscal office