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SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Lundy, let me ask the same thing of you. I understand these two to be saying don't make us responsible for figuring out what trips or does not trip a tax rate increase, but if you hold us to the same standard, the two percent across the board, we can do that as a floor, and maybe more. Senator Lundy.

SENATOR LUNDY: Well, Mr. President and Senator Landis, I agree with what has been said by Senator Warner and Senator Hannibal and Senator Scofield, and also Senator Goodrich of the committee. I think that the total body needs to understand...

PRESIDENT: One minute of Senator Landis' time, one minute.

SENATOR LUNDY: ...that the committee will certainly take into account the suggestions that have been offered by you people today and in previous communications from you. I think also that you should realize that we, during the course of the time that we are in session, while you people are out of session, that we want you people, you people to be involved also. You are invited to be there. Now, that does not...

SENATOR LANDIS: Since we are on my time, Senator Lundy,...

SENATOR LUNDY: ...that does not mean anybody except the senators.

SENATOR LANDIS: I understand. The question is the goal of the committee as a floor, giving us an option for cuts equivalent to a two percent across the board. Is that a fair goal?

SENATOR LUNDY: I heard you. It is a fair goal. As Senator Warner has indicated, I don't think that we want to be contained within that. I think there are others things that could be considered.

SENATOR LANDIS: All right. That is a floor as far as you are concerned.

PRESIDENT: Senator Landis, time has expired.

SENATOR LANDIS: Okay.