

Thank you.

SENATOR NELSON: In my particular region, because of the fact that their budget was set up on a very lean basis, it has not grown nearly as rapid as those other two regions. I will have to say that I think I'll have to come in for a \$50,000 cut for my region if we are starting to take from one region to add to the other region. I do have available, in front of me if any of you want, the 1985 year budget for the various regions for administration, drug and alcohol prevention grants and the regional total, if you would like to have those figures.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Thank you. Senator Pirsch, then Senator Lynch. Senator Pirsch.

SENATOR PIRSCH: I'll waive to Senator Lynch.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Lynch, please.

SENATOR LYNCH: Mr. President and members,...

SPEAKER NICHOL: Just a minute, Senator Lynch, again. (Gavel.) Please listen to the speakers. Thank you.

SENATOR LYNCH: Well, I tell you, I've seen end runs before, but this is a badly played run. I've got to tell you, first of all don't believe everything you read. A graph was handed out, looks something like this. This is all hypothetical. It is a figment of somebody's imagination and a dream, a bad one, I could say a bad joke about the kind of a dream it is. But I've got to tell you we're passing out a chart right now that is the facts, based on what is totally spent, in local funds and state and federal funds what is being spent per client. Please look at it. You will see what Region 4, Region 5, 1, 2, 3 are spending. That is the real facts, what we are spending per client. There are an awful lot of reasons that costs exist in Region 6, by the way which includes Sarpy County, Douglas County, Washington County, Dodge County, Fremont and Cass County. That is first of all because of the services offered. We provide more services because there are more people. We provide more services to more severely affected people. Our group homes, we have more of them, we have more of them because we have more people to serve. We also have zoning laws that preclude us from doing a lot of things we would like to, but