

SENATOR SCHMIT: When?

SENATOR LINDSAY: At 17 minutes after 7:00 I could have it to you, I think.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Okay. Well, while you're at that, I would like you to peruse another question. Are you going to assess the \$4 per ton on each fertilizer, whether it contains 20 percent nitrogen or 82 percent nitrogen, or are you going to make an adjustment for the amount of nitrogen per ton?

SENATOR LINDSAY: If I could back up, 1.9 million tons are sold in the state.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Pardon?

SENATOR LINDSAY: One point nine million.

SENATOR SCHMIT: That's down from 7 million?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Pardon me?

SENATOR SCHMIT: That's down from the 7 million you gave me just a little bit ago?

SENATOR LINDSAY: No, I didn't give you a 7 million figure. I think it's suppose to raise 7 million dollars, it that...

SENATOR SCHMIT: It's how much?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Around 7 million dollars is what it will raise. It's 1.9 million tons.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Okay, thank you. Then is it just going to...is it just a flat...is it just a flat charge per ton of nitrogen, notwithstanding the nitrogen content?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Yes.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Well, that seems like a very easy way to do it. Not very equitable, but then equity has not been one of the hallmarks of this bill anyway. Now, ladies and gentlemen, you can buy nitrogen fertilizer by the ton that contain 6 pounds of actual "N" per ton, or anhydrous nitrogen which contains