

to try to answer questions that you might have on the bill at this time. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Discussion on the amendment by Senator Schimek. Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President, members of the body, would Senator Schimek yield to a question, please.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Senator Schimek, I notice this refers to state employees that work for the Red Cross. Is that correct?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: It...no. This...these are state employees who are certified Red Cross workers, they are not...

SENATOR HABERMAN: But they work for the Red Cross, correct, or work for...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: What do you mean by work, Senator Haberman?

SENATOR HABERMAN: Does it include Salvation Army?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: No. I see what you're getting at.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Does it include the Goodwill people?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: No.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Does it include the church groups?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: No.

SENATOR HABERMAN: So what you're, in essence, saying is that a state employee who specializes in relief service in Nebraska for the American Red Cross is the only state employees that can have this time. Is that correct?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: That is correct, Senator Haberman,...

SENATOR HABERMAN: Well, then can you just...