

the Bohlke amendment was meant to do is to have good information, easy access and also to have a person in place to be able to talk with someone who might need more than a phone call and also to have that person be a professional and qualified to do that. I think the Bohlke amendment does that very well in establishing the toll-free number so that you have immediate access when you want to talk to someone. That referral then could be to already established centers throughout the state that reach clean across the state. Though they may not reach into every single community, there is a good and geographical distribution across the state which this amendment looks at and that the materials that would be developed would be done in such a manner that it would be good information and you also could talk to a professional at any one of those sites. I think the Bohlke amendment is a good amendment. I think it's what we all want to accomplish and to say that it needs to be under the auspices of the original 110, that 110 is somehow sacred and can't be amended with better language, I think it can. I think the Bohlke amendment has done that. It may not be a perfect amendment and it may need some refining, but I think for the most part Senator Bohlke has brought us a good long way towards getting 110 passed and I would hope that a few of those working on the floor that's looking at some additions or subtractions to the Bohlke amendment would come up with something that everyone here could support and that the winner in this whole thing would be the woman facing a pregnancy and looking at what she wants to do in the future and to make the best possible, possible decision and that the Bohlke amendment would provide that. In addition, just for anyone's information who might be interested, our local newspaper looked at LB 110 and did an editorial and looking at perhaps how it would affect women in western Nebraska and some of their opinions of LB 110. I would share a couple portions with you here that it looked at the two things that the original, and we're looking here at the original 110 in what it would provide, that a woman be required to delay an abortion for 24 hours after giving her informed consent to the procedure and, two, that the woman would be required to receive...

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR HILLMAN: ...information about the development of the fetus at the time the abortion would be performed. Proponents of the bill contend that they are not addressing the abortion issue as such, but rather they are concerned about consumer