

school, club work, boy scouts, girl scouts, church work, some of those individuals gravitate toward that type of activity for the purpose of having access to children. Therefore, I guess, the question I ask is this, have we solved a major portion of the problem by requiring teachers to be treated differently than we do all other persons that come in contact with teachers, with children? I think that teachers have a high responsibility. Most of them are dedicated. Most of them are highly professional, and I think that most of them are above suspicion. It is unusual, of course, that we would admit that there are those individuals who would abuse children, who would not be accused, and who would not be ever suspected. And in this instance we totally ignore those individuals. Someone will say that it doesn't happen. Suddenly, you will have discovered something and I think that is true. I am going to listen a little bit more to the debate here before I decide how I am going to vote on the bill because it is a lose, lose situation regardless of how you vote. All of us want to do something positive on behalf of the children, to protect them from this type of activity, but I want to just call your attention again to the fact that children come in contact many times in an unsupervised manner with hundreds of other adults during the course of their lifetimes, none of whom will, of course, be pursued in the same manner in which we are pursuing the teachers.

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR SCHMIT: So I would hope that we do not just embark upon a knee-jerk type of activity here that looks good to the public but does not really protect the children in the manner and to the extent of which we would like to do.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Schmit. Before I go to the next speaker, I would like to announce that the Bill Drafter's Office has told me that all of the bills that were supposed to be six parted have been done, so if you haven't received yours yet in your office, you should check with them to make sure they are coming down. Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body. As I listen to this debate, we have been talking about the theoretical advantages of this bill, and I guess it has occurred to me that I haven't heard much discussion about how this bill will work, how will the mechanics of this bill work. So I would like to ask a few questions, both of Senator