

you think the United States government would choose?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, long term, we know mainland China has many, many more people, so that would be obviously mainland China. I don't know how that really speaks to this issue here though.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Does it have something to say about what the policy of the country, itself, might be and how Nebraska could be out of step without even understanding what factors ought to be taken into consideration in resolving this issue, the issue between Taiwan and mainland China?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, I really don't...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Or does Nebraska...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I really don't think so. I would disagree with you on that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think the issue of how child labor is dealt with in Taiwan should be a matter that Nebraskans would be concerned about.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: It should be some of the concern, but the point would be...

SPEAKER WITHEM: One minute.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...is it worse there than it is in mainland China? I really don't know, but I can't believe that there would be that much difference between many of the countries that you are wanting to talk about. I am not inclined to pick on Taiwan at all, and, particularly, I don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Have you ever asked the Legislature to bring any resolution that was favorable to mainland China?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You are asking the Legislature to take a favorable position relative to Taiwan, aren't you?

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes.