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SENATOR WICKERSHAM: ...they're excluded.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Because they're a healthcare professional?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes, and they have a separate set of immunity statutes, in 71, what is it, 540...5149, I think.

SENATOR BEUTLER: So, persons associated with an emergency response team, who are operating this device, will be healthcare professionals?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes, for purposes of the def...

SENATOR BEUTLER: You know, I'm sorry, I'm confused. And I probably wasn't listening closely, but I thought I got two different answers.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Oh, well there are three levels.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: There are licensed healthcare providers, and maybe it's better to talk to...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Time. For discussion on the committee amendments Senators Janssen, Matzke, Chambers, Baker, Jensen, and Beutler. Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of the Legislature. A couple years ago we passed an EMTA bill that allowed the use...the way it was before, you had...you had to have two EMTAs before you could use one of the defibrillators on a rescue squad unit. And the bill we discussed at that time made it possible for one EMTA, along with an EMT. Senator Wickersham, if you would respond to a couple questions.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Senator Wickersham, does this...do you still have to have the same amount of trained people on a rescue squad