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(laughing)...Senator Redfield, I am frustrated this morning. If the purpose of this bill is to deal with the elderly, frail, low-income people, who are homebound, bedridden, I don't see why we need all these other things included. So to help me get an understanding, Senator Aguilar, can I ask you a question?

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator, would you respond?

SENATOR AGUILAR: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: On page 2 in line 22, where...

SENATOR AGUILAR: I have no problem with you striking "but not limited to."

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, no, no, not that. Okay, but here's what I want to ask you, now if you don't want to answer, just tell me. I don't want to beat you down. What institutions in the state would this program serve? In other words, why is not the institution already doing these things?

SENATOR AGUILAR: I don't have an answer for that, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Aguilar. Members of the Legislature, I need to ask some of the people who are on this bill with the main introducer and find something out. Senator Don Pederson, oh, he's not on the bill.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: I would indicate I was on the bill.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, I saw Pedersen, but it's Dwite Pedersen. Maybe I could ask you a question anyway.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Pederson, would you respond?

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Pederson, are you on the Health and Human Services Committee?

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: No, I'm on the Appropriations Committee.