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SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes. And for providing water for domestic uses.

SENATOR SCHROCK: That is correct.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR SCHROCK: And I think Lincoln is a good example of that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yeah. Let me ask about one more situation. If an industrial plant in Scottsbluff needed ground water and the situation was such...maybe Scottsbluff wouldn't be a good example, I don't know, but the situation is such that you can't get the water from a municipal system, or maybe the prime location was outside of the municipality, somewhere in the county, but it didn't happen to have ground water under it. Is it possible under this law to transfer water off the overlying land that, say, is six or seven miles away to that industrial site under this law?

SENATOR SCHROCK: I would say the answer is yes.

SENATOR BEUTLER: You think the answer is yes?

SENATOR SCHROCK: No. Well, we're having a disagreement back here. I'm thinking we have quite a few water projects in the state for domestic use, and in my area of the state we have one, where there's municipalities that don't have good water. You're asking for an industrial use.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes.

SENATOR SCHROCK: I'm told the answer to that is no.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yeah. Well, I just wanted to be sure I was remembering that correctly, and maybe we can talk about that some more on Select File or something, because I think there ought to be a provision that allows for the transfer and use of .for industrial purposes whenever that might make economic sense to the community. And I've never understood why we've had a law that didn't allow for that, if it does not allow for it.