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employees. So, even with the standard that would remain, only a small portion of operations would be required to have workers' comp. Not only is it six or more employees; that's just if they're unrelated employees. You have a definition of family relationships which is extremely broad. It would include the husband, by marriage of a niece, for example. And anybody who's in that broad category of family relationships can be added to the number of workers in your operation and you still don't go over the limit. That is, if you had five unrelated employees and then you had three family members who are employed by you, you would have eight in the operation and your operation still...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: One minute.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...would not be required to have workers' comp. Even with...even when you're over six, six or over, if you have related employees, you're not required to get workers' comp for the related employees. I'm not sure what the theory behind that is when you get to more distantly related employees, but that distinction is also in the bill as of right now. So I wanted to make clear that the protection of small operations is still there, very much still there, even if you adopt this amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. (Visitors introduced.) Continuing on the amendment, there are no further lights on the amendment. Senator Beutler, I would recognize you to close.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Schimek, members of the Legislature, there are a number of states, including states with large agricultural sectors, such as Ohio and Montana and California, Colorado, who include all agricultural workers within the requirement for workers' compensation, so it's not a radical idea even to include the entire industry. But most all states make some distinction between large operations and small operations, and this amendment, this bill that's before you right now, by and large, does not make that distinction. As long as you own your own land, as long as you own your own cattle, no matter how large you are, no matter how many