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weekend to do weekend camp, or whatever, and it's like a per diem. It's not actually a wage or a salary. And so I don't think that asking that they be...not be penalized for that extra bit that they're doing on a weekend or whenever--I think they go once a month as well--that they not be penalized for that, and that's all I'm asking here. I don't believe it would apply to very many people, again, because most of them who go into active duty are entitled to reemployment and all the benefits that go with it. So with that, Mr. President, I would return the rest of my time to the Chair.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Schimek. Senator Janssen, on the Schimek amendment to the Louden amendment to LB 1049.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature. This weekend, it was Sunday afternoon, I was in Fremont to welcome back the 167th Cavalry, which is stationed...or their home base is at the armory there in Fremont. And they had been in Bosnia for quite some period of time. You know, and it made me feel good to see those young men and women returning, and knowing that they still had their job. And that is something that we have addressed here in this body several years ago. Working with...and I enjoyed the time that I spent on the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee. It was one of my favorite committees, and working with the servicemen, especially the National Guard, and knowing that someday something like this was going to happen, and we would be very...should feel very fortunate that we have those young men and women who are going to school, are getting, now, a 75 percent reimbursement on their tuition, which has kept a lot of those people in the National Guard, and thank goodness for that, or we would probably be between a rock and a hard spot right now. Anyway, that...you know, it's great to see those young people come home. But I did a little checking on unemployment insurance. You know, in my business, I can't remember ever firing anyone, so our rates...your rates on the unemployment insurance are judged by how much you use them. So in our case, we have built up quite a reserve. So our premiums, if you want to call it that, aren't that great. So you...if you do lose employees, or fire employees, yes, then your rate is going to come back up. But it is a safety net for a lot of