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question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Schimek, would you yield?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Schimek, I'm in the first sentence of this part that deals--in the committee amendment, that is--which deals with the Adjutant General being possibly under federal orders to carry out a federal function, but despite that, he or she...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...would not have to take paid or unpaid leave. Now, the salary which the Adjutant gets is paid by the state. Is that true?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you know whether or not the money which provides that salary comes from state funds? Or is it a part of money given to the state by the federal government to operate the National Guard, if you know?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thanks. Committee counsel has just pointed out the language in Section 3. It's on page...or, line 18. It's...or actually starts on 16, "that such salary shall not exceed the annual pay and allowances of regular military officers of equal rank." And then it says, "If funds made available by the federal government are in excess of the amount payable as directed by the Governor, the excess shall be used..."

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Schimek, I'm sorry, but...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: "...to reduce the amount required to be paid by the state."

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time is up, Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Whatever that means, Senator Chambers. I got to read it over again.