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to suggest that they should be allowed to go on through maybe a stop...a person directing traffic at an accident scene.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Why should it result in that?

SENATOR BAKER: Well, you don't just let anyone into an accident scene. There may be hazardous materials and so on, and that would lend them some credibility I would think if they had a license plate designating that particular vehicle as being licensed by an EMT or a firefighter.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do people other than the owner of the vehicle drive the vehicle?

SENATOR BAKER: They certainly do.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do people other than the one in whose name the license plate was issued drive the vehicle?

SENATOR BAKER: They could, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So why should EMT on a license plate entitle somebody to go into an area that is closed off to everybody else?

SENATOR BAKER: I suppose if there was a question that's not going to be a free pass. They're going to ask for some credentials. You have to carry a certification card with you if you're an EMT.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think a paratrooper should be able to have that fact put on a license plate?

SENATOR BAKER: I don't know that that's part of the bill, but, no, I would say a...probably not.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think a machine gunner should be allowed to put that on the license plate?

SENATOR BAKER: No.