

you wish to address LB 560?

SENATOR LYNCH: I just...in case the credibility of Senator Chizek is not believable because people pull the wrong teeth, I just want to testify that that happened to me about six weeks ago, they cut a wisdom tooth out and it still hurts, and it turned out it was the wrong one. But I'm sure this law won't apply to me, or affect, or help me at all, but I will testify to the fact that that can happen, that can happen. Mr. Speaker, I was just given, by Senator Kristensen, a card that says, if you need a good lawyer call me. (Laughter.)

SPEAKER BAACK: Any other discussion? Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Senator Chizek, I'd like to ask you a couple of questions. I'm not sure I was listening carefully. This bill would provide that the Attorney General can defend doctors and dentists and other medical personnel?

SENATOR CHIZEK: The contract doctors and dentists at the institution, not anything to do with malpractice, civil rights violations. And that's what it would be.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Do we...does...is there...are there any other instances of the Attorney General representing private citizens like this, that you know of anyway?

SENATOR CHIZEK: Senator, I'm not sure off the top of my head. I will check and get back to you on that. But bear in mind, this is only for those who contract to do work there, and it's the civil rights violation, has nothing to do with the malpractice.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Well, I don't think I have a problem with it. But I was just curious.

SENATOR CHIZEK: I don't know. I would get back...I would check and get back to you on Select, Senator.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Okay, thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Schimek. Anyone else wishing to address the advancement of LB 560? Seeing no one, Senator Chizek, did you wish to close? Waives closing. We'll now vote on the advancement of LB 560. All those in favor vote aye,