

agricultural analysis he did on LB 1059, but I assume he has. My question I guess to you would be the following, Senator Wesely, and you can take either the rest of my time or...because I'll punch in again and talk about it. How, if we pass this amendment, the amendment to the amendment, and we're going to do this, how actually do we get the information from the companies? In other words, are we going to have people actually going and audit and find out? I assume not. So are we going to do what we kind of had in Government Committee not so long ago, a question where we actually call a company and ask them to give us information on what, in fact, they have done?

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you. Yeah, should I go ahead?

PRESIDENT: Yes, please.

SENATOR WESELY: Senator Bernard-Stevens, currently, okay, one of the other handouts I have is a chart and this chart, if you could find it, it has three columns in it and it shows state statute requires now to be reported what the Department of Revenue currently includes in the report and then it shows the information available to the Department of Revenue. There is what is called LB 775 end form I believe, and this...what we did, the way we are going at this now is different than any year in the past because we went to the form they are currently filling out and submitting in application. The way the process works is you apply to the Department of Revenue and there are forms you have to fill out. These forms request certain amounts of information, then the department negotiates with the business about the credits involved and do they apply or don't they apply and so this information comes in. After they go through all this then they have the 775 end report and what we're saying is that sort of information is all submitted to the department. We'd like to send some of that, not all of it, but some of it back over to us in this annual report that we have. And so as far as the auditing and all that, they're already doing that. This sort of information is already coming in, they're already checking and verifying it and we're simply saying is that is public information that would be valuable for the public to know about.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Thank you, Senator Wesely. I guess that goes to my concern...I don't even know if concern is strong enough, it maybe is a too strong of word, for the amendment to the amendment. If I understand Senator Wesely and if he wants