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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Could our friends in Benkelman and the other place take advantage of LB 1348, since they're operating on a small scale like they will be operating on?

SENATOR MATZKE: They're too small to take advantage of LB 775 because they have to come in with 30 employees and they can't start with 30 employees.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, no, LB 1348, the other bill which is moving across the board which would make certain grants available to these small operations trying to get a foothold.

SENATOR MATZKE: Well, that's a good question because I think Senator Wehrbein's bill is more directed at the marketing of farm commodities by co-ops and presenting grants to organizations that want to study marketing plans, which is not...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But this...

SENATOR MATZKE: ...specifically directed toward individual businesses such as this one.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But this bill also talks about research development, testing for scientific agriculture, animal husbandry and so forth, so they're talking about research under this bill and not really the production of anything. Businesses that don't produce anything can qualify under LB 936 for these breaks, isn't that true?

SENATOR MATZKE: Yes, that...but that's only one paragraph. There are one, two, three, four, five different categories of businesses covered.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well, I know that. Thank you, Senator Matzke. The point that I'm making here is that under this bill you don't have to produce anything to qualify. It is really wide open in one sense, but it's not going to achieve anything other than a political purpose. I don't believe that there's going to be a great influx of people who are going to qualify under this bill. Now, there might be a lot of people having