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SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: Yes, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Pedersen, would you state again why this is necessary and tell us, if you can, whether or not these people are already covered by existing requirements of the law.

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: The people at Department of Corrections are not certified in this area. They do not...they have some training in their training courses where they learn some things about healthcare, but they don't have a pharmacy...pharmacology type training that this would be. This is...we're asking only for the same...that those people who work in other medical situations would have that type...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Doing the same thing.

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You're asking that the people who do this activity in the prison have the same requirements that would be on somebody doing it outside the prison. Is that correct?

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: That's right.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Pedersen. I would like to ask Senator Raikes a question, if he's here. Is Senator Raikes here?

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Raikes, would you respond?

SENATOR RAIKES: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Raikes, before somebody offers an objection, I'm going to say like a lawyer would say, I'm going to connect this all up if His Honor will allow me to proceed. You're familiar with...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: You can continue, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...LB 513, aren't you?