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SENATOR NICHOL: Okay.

SENATOR NEWELL: ...and other proof.

SENATOR NICHOL: Would this allow wholesalers to provide free wine for wine tasting parties?

SENATOR NEWELL: No, it would not.

SENATOR NICHOL: To the public, I meant.

SENATOR NEWELL: No, it would not.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay. Would they be putting it in smaller bottles like hard liquor does?

SENATOR NEWELL: No, absolutely not. The miniature bottles would not be allowed.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay.

SENATOR NEWELL: This is only regulated wine tasting on the distributor's premises as opposed to the retailer's premises. It can only allow the retailer to do the sampling. You cannot allow any private individual to do the sampling.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR NEWELL: This is a very restricted law and the Commission would also make sure that...and regulate it and promulgate rules and regulations to make sure there were no abuses in that.

SENATOR NICHOL: Thank you, Senator.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Are you through, Senator Newell?

SENATOR NEWELL: I would like to be.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Nichol, have you finished your interrogation?

SENATOR NICHOL: Yes. Do you want me to adjourn?

SPEAKER MARVEL: Sir?

SENATOR NICHOL: Did you want me to adjourn over the noon hour? Oh.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Cope, do you wish to be recognized?