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out of state to register in order to have it a qualified event. To determine the amount of attributable income, then you have to look to the participants that actually do attend.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And we use the term "participants" when we're talking about how we're going to qualify this event. Why use the term "participants" in telling how to qualify the event...

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Because it is only...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...when we don't know whether they have to be from inside Nebraska or outside Nebraska?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Well, hopefully we can get that sorted out. But it is necessary to know the number of participants, how ever that is defined, or...to begin to estimate what the spending impact would be.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Let's go back to where I was.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes, that's where I went back to.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, okay.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Yes, and that's subsection (b). It says you have to have the estimated number of participants and then you have to follow that up with the estimated amount of spending impact.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And there...there really is no way to estimate the number of participants, is there, since we don't know whether they have to be from inside Nebraska or outside Nebraska.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Well, I would say that this would be in the nature...the application would look to me in the nature of a planning document. It is the expectations or hopes, wishes, however you might want to characterize it, of the sponsors. They would presumably try to put the best face possible on the activity. It would be up to the board to critique that presentation to...