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SENATOR BOHLKE: ...when a private college or institution would come into the state, they have to get approval...

SENATOR CROSBY: You mean if you're starting a new college?

SENATOR BOHLKE: If you're starting a new college.

SENATOR CROSBY: Okay. I wasn't quite get...I was thinking you were going to offer courses on the Internet or something. It's not...it's starting a new college, right? Okay.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Or bringing it here for the first time. It may be operating in another state, bringing it here for the first time.

SENATOR CROSBY: Okay, I see. The reason I was inquiring is that I thought you were having to do...I thought it was something offered by Internet or, for instance, at Union College we have a master's degree in nursing, and that was...they come from I can't remember where to do that. And that had to be approved by Coordinating Commission before they could come down to offer the courses. But I wasn't so...so that is still the same.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Right, it just...it just...

SENATOR CROSBY: Something like that is still the same.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, it...it...

SENATOR CROSBY: Or have you changed that?

SENATOR BOHLKE: ...expands it for the...for credits, to cover also the offer of college credit...credits. Previously it was degrees, undergraduate degrees. Now they would also have to have approval to of...if they were offering courses that would give credits or graduate degrees.

SENATOR CROSBY: Yeah, okay. Well, see this is a ma...that's why I got confused. Okay, thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you. Senator Bohlke, there are no