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entire United States, not just Nebraska. Now, Senator Vrtiska, you asked about the ACT test and, yes, we are doing very well. But in fact, not every student in Nebraska takes the ACT test. There are students who choose not to go on to college and, therefore, they do not even take that test. We don't know how they do. That's where these kinds of local tests come in. This is a way for us to measure those students who come out of our schools with just a high school diploma to make sure that they have that minimum body of knowledge that they need to succeed in this world. I think that there's been a great deal of concern expressed about students teaching. And yet you have to recognize that it's much easier to have your students teach when you know what the questions are because then you can tell the students the answers. When you have a secure test that comes from somewhere else, it's very hard to prepare them for it. You can't cram for a standardized test unless you know the questions ahead of time. So we're talking about allowing school districts in LB 812 to prepare an examination for their students. And we're saying right now without the Beutler amendment that there is no standard that they would have to meet. I think it's absolutely imperative if we're going to move in that direction at all that we have to have some kind of standard for their test to measure up to. There has to be something that we know that they're aiming for. We have to see that their curriculum is going to be measurable so we know that we're covering those basic subject areas. I will speak to the bill later...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR REDFIELD: ...but I think I've said enough. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Redfield. We're discussing the Beutler amendment, AM3090, to LB 812. Senator Beutler, your light is on. I'm sorry, but you have spoken three times. Senator Bohlke. Senator Bohlke, this is your third time, Senator Bohlke.

SENATOR BOHLKE: On this amendment?

SENATOR CUDABACK: This will be your third time.

SENATOR BOHLKE: I thought we were on the Chambers amendment up