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SENATOR BOHLKE: Correct.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay. So, we have one of these models that is...or after the first go around, why, somebody that the department identifies selects the five best models, I guess. Then it says in the amendment, "Districts shall thereafter adopt one of the three"...one of the three model assessments, I hadn't noticed that, "and may, in addition, adapt their locally developed assessments." Now I'm...

SENATOR BOHLKE: Senator Raikes, I think you're on the wrong amendment.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay.

SENATOR BOHLKE: The current amendment says "five".

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay, it does, you're right. "Districts shall thereafter adopt one of the five model assessments and may, in addition, adapt their locally developed assessments." What does that mean?

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, if...if they had developed their...their local ones, and they were going to choose from one of the five, they could just adapt what they had done to...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR BOHLKE: ...to mirror, if they wanted to, to mirror one of the five. They could change...if they just needed to change...

SENATOR RAIKES: So, they're actually not required to...to...to adopt one of the five?

SENATOR BOHLKE: It has to be one of the five, but, as I understand it, if they only had to change two or three questions, they could adapt theirs to become one of the five.

SENATOR RAIKES: Okay, I'm not sure I understand that.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, it would end up having to be one of the