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SPEAKER BROMM: Well, not the NCAA, you can't.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...whenever you leave it to a bureaucrat...well, if the member schools could overcome their confusion,...

SPEAKER BROMM: Yeah, right.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...which is sown by that bureaucrat and his staff, then something could be done.

SPEAKER BROMM: Right, I just meant the Legislature itself couldn't do that with the NCAA, but with...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But once we give over to a bureaucrat the authority to make a final decision, regardless of what we put into the statute that bureaucrat can say "County A" gets the designation, "County B" does not because I am not satisfied that "County B" is sincere. That's what can be done. That's what is done all the time when paid staff or bureaucrats who are unelected make decisions. It's why Congress oftentimes, or some congresspersons, will express outrage--that's not what we intended. Yet, you turned it over to an agency of the executive branch and that's what you get. So the Department of Agriculture is an executive branch agency and the bureaucrat over there will make the determination. Rather than offend anybody, maybe every county that applies will get the designation. And what difference does it make to "County A" if "County B" also gets the designation and doesn't jump through all the hoops? Why don't we just make a blanket designation by the Legislature that every county in Nebraska is livestock friendly? Some people would say, and I'm sure Senator Wehrbein might lead the charge, that not every county is as amenable to these operations we're discussing as every other county, so we have really before us matters of taste, community values, community standards. And if "Community A" has its standards which are firmly and sincerely held, "Community A" cannot get this designation from the state. Do it my way or you don't get the designation. I don't even think it's appropriate for the state to be doing this. It is as wrong as I would find it to be