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committee amendment on page 1.

SENATOR SMITH: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: First of all, you are aware that human cells right now are implanted into animals for research purposes, aren't you?

SENATOR SMITH: I wouldn't be surprised.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: They'll put human cancer cells into mice,...

SENATOR SMITH: Right.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...and when they're doing this beta-amyloid research on Alzheimer's they will put human cells into mice.

SENATOR SMITH: And vice versa.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So right now they are putting human cells into mice, and those cells take hold and grow. Are you aware of that, that kind of research?

SENATOR SMITH: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But you're not worried about anybody trying to unite this kind of material that we're talking about in your bill, reproductive material.

SENATOR SMITH: Can't say that I'm not worried about it, but I don't expect to address all my worries within one bill, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. Here's something that I would like to know from you, if you can help me. On page 1, in lines 19 and 20, we're talking about, based on the language of the committee amendment which you support, introducing nuclear material. What...what does this nuclear material consist of? What is being taken from one somatic cell and being introduced into the egg?