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there's no problems, of course, it's a done deal. If it comes back, it's not a valid Social Security number, then the rest of the language, I said, allows them to cancel that ID card or driver's license.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Senator, going back to page 29 with this section, it indicates, if a state identification card is issued to a person while the Department of Motor Vehicles is unable to validate. So it seems there, Senator, there is discretion as to whether or not to initially issue identification card. The section above, then, in line 25, indicates that no identification card shall be issued. But then it goes on to say, if a state identification card is issued. Again, it seems to me that that's giving discretion on who would get an identification card and who would not get an identification card, based upon unavailability of validation. Is that a true statement, that there's discretion at this level?

SENATOR BAKER: There is some discretion. It says, no person may be issued that state ID card if it's not validated. And they can validate it after the issuance, though, is what the language is saying. They can go ahead and issue it, yes. And of course, if it looks to be a phony Social Security number, or card, whatever they present there, the number of the card, then they're not going to issue it, obviously. And I...this does give those issuers some flexibility, there's no question about that. If they see no problem with it, although they can't access the system to validate it, they issue the card. And then the rest of the language, as I said, gives them the ability to cancel that.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: What guidelines are available? I mean, what in their determination...I don't think these individuals would just be experts on identification practices. I mean, what would be the parameters, the guidelines that they would abide by in their decision on whether or not to issue identification card when validation avenue is not available to them? I...it doesn't lay out any parameters whatsoever that they could use in the determination, Senator Baker, of whether or not to issue one of these.