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part of your amendment which contains the definition of ethanol?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Baker.

SENATOR BAKER: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: All right. Are you with me?

SENATOR BAKER: Yeah. You're talking about page 10?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Uh-huh. Well, whatever...

SENATOR BAKER: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...page it is. I'm looking on the gadget.

SENATOR BAKER: Okay. Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: It says, the new language, "which is a finished product that is a nominally anhydrous ethyl alcohol." Now, "nominally" means in name only, ordinarily. What does that word mean here?

SENATOR BAKER: Well, it's further...nominally, I would say, is further defined on page 10, Senator Chambers. Back there it actually goes back to, an analysis shall be prepared--now this is on page 10 of line 19. We...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: What is...

SENATOR BAKER: ...further restrict...we further define that in...let me read it for you. An analysis shall be prepared by an independent laboratory meeting the International Organization for Standardization standard ISO/IEC, group of numbers. I can't tell you exactly what all is there, but the Department of Agriculture uses that and Department of Revenue suggested that language. So it's...what you're reading on page 2 is actually overridden, I would say, on page 10, line 19, is where it begins.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I'm moving the gadget to try to get to