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SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Stuhr, would you yield to a question?

SENATOR STUHR: Yes.

SENATOR BOURNE: And again, Senator Stuhr, we're trying to establish for the record what level of regulation the department is going to implement.

SENATOR STUHR: Yes.

SENATOR BOURNE: Right? And I'm specifically talking about Section 25, subsection (2)(d), where it says the individual "Has submitted evidence of completion of education, training, or experience satisfactory to the department to ensure protection of the public." And again, our intent is, is that the education, training, or experience relates only to the sterilization techniques, safety and sanitation, and infection control practices.

SENATOR STUHR: Are you asking me to...?

SENATOR BOURNE: I am asking.

SENATOR STUHR: Okay. Senator Bourne, I think if you would look on (e) that it is actually two-part, and I think we visited about that considerably. The first part of (e), has successfully completed an examination,...

SENATOR BOURNE: Senator Stuhr, if I could interrupt for just a second.

SENATOR STUHR: ...because the protection of the public would also be to prevent someone that...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Stuhr.

SENATOR STUHR: ...that isn't competent.

SENATOR BOURNE: Senator Stuhr, we did visit extensively, but this language has changed from the draft that I looked at, and I am simply trying to establish the direction that we are giving