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SENATOR AGUILAR: That is correct.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any objection to the substitution? Seeing none, so ordered.

CLERK: AM1673, Senator.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Bourne.

SENATOR BOURNE: Thank you, Mr. President and members. This amendment is a compromise that Senator Aguilar and I worked out with Senator Redfield, and what it basically will do is all starch-based and liquid-based pseudoephedrine-based products will be behind the counter except for liquid pediatric formulations. Those will be in front of the counter unless and until it is documented by a law enforcement agency to the State Patrol that liquid pediatric formulation has been found and used at a methamphetamine manufacturing site. So what will happen is pediatric-dosed pseudoephedrine products will be out in front of the counter until the State Patrol sees that they have been used or are present at a methamphetamine manufacturing plant, and then by rule and reg, they will be placed behind the counter. I would...again, this is a compromise with Senator Aguilar, Senator Redfield, and I think it's fair. I think it does make sense, given that the doses of pseudoephedrine are so low in pediatric formulas. With that, I would urge your adoption of this amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You've heard the opening on AM1673. Open for discussion. Seeing no lights on, Senator Bourne, did you wish to close?

SENATOR BOURNE: Certainly. Thank you, Mr. President. Again, this is...this makes sense. Pediatric doses would be out in front of the counter until it is determined that they have been used to manufacturing meth. I would urge your adoption. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bourne. You've heard the