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PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Thank you, Senator Louden. (Visitors introduced.) Senator Combs.

SENATOR COMBS: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of the body. I do rise in support of the Fischer amendment and also in support of the bill. And I do appreciate Deb for bringing this and Senator Kremer for bringing the bill that I think is necessary to preempt, hopefully, if we do have an outbreak of avian flu. They're talking more of a "when" more so than an "if" -- if we do have a pandemic situation, I think that will help particularly with tracking down where the source is. I think animal tracking is very important. I work at Farmland. We do that with every hog that we bring in, and I think it's important that these chickens, poultry, so forth, are screened. So again, I'm just standing up. The nurse in me says this is important. I just want to be on the record. I support it. supported it on General. I continue to support it. And I do want to remind both Senator Fischer and Senator Chambers that, I can't take credit for this quote but, well-behaved women seldom do make history. Thank you.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY: Thank you, Senator Combs. Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes, thank you, Mr. President and members. agree with Senator Chambers that if Farm Bureau and Farmers Union agree, this bill must be all right. But I do want to...I do want to say, Senator Chambers, I'm going to ask a question or two and I don't want you to think that's because I (laugh) don't have any wisdom, okay? Senator Fischer, if I could, I apologize for maybe asking this after you've already explained, but my gadget doesn't automatically bring up the next amendment and so I wasn't on the right amendment when you started talking about I may have missed some of your explanation. But I want to ask you particularly about subsection (2), and I'm not sure what page that's on, but it says the department may disclose information as authorized by this subsection, subject to any confidentiality requirements that the department determines are appropriate under the circumstances. Would you go into a little bit of detail about that? What could the department determine is confidential or not confidential? Could you explain a little bit?