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power to set standards is independent of the approval of the Department of Agriculture. That's the way I understood the floor debate also. And I just wanted to...to confirm that fact, that once the Department of Envir...

PRESIDENT MOUL: One minute.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...Environmental Quality sets the standard and Department of Health sets the standard, the Department of Ag then just takes those standards and inserts them into the plan. Is my understanding correct on that?

SENATOR DIERKS: I think that's fairly accurate.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Fairly accurate?

SENATOR DIERKS: Yes, fairly accurate.

SENATOR BEUTLER: (Laugh.) What do...what causes you to qualify that?

SENATOR DIERKS: I haven't...I haven't read that particular language for a little bit, Chris, you'll have to show me where that is.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, I'm on page 13 starting...

SENATOR DIERKS: Yeah, line 11.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...with line 11.

SENATOR DIERKS: Yeah, that's true, that's exactly right.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. Senator Dierks, thank you very much.

SENATOR DIERKS: You bet.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Appreciate the time.

SENATOR DIERKS: Yes, sir.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Senator Dierks, did you wish to speak on the bill itself? Your light is on. Okay. Senator Bromm.