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prescription, and then they are stiffed. I don't want that to happen either. There needs to be protection.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I agree. Let me ask you to look at page 140, and Section 89; Section 89, it begins on line 4 of that page, describes the requirement for registration, and it requires a certain number of things. It requires disclosure and certification by such provider of the following, and then there is a list of nine different items that they need to provide in order to register. One of the items, subsection (6), says that it will cooperate with the department in providing information to the regulatory agency of any state where it is licensed or registered concerning matters related to the dispensing of contact lenses to Nebraska residents. What...what is the purpose of that particular provision?

SENATOR BYARS: I...I think it's...it's a guarantee if there have been some problems with these...these vendors' license in another state, that to ensure that if there is a question mark on the part of somebody within the state of Nebraska relative to the legitimacy, the quality, there could be a number of things as far as their dispensing contacts in the state of Nebraska, that this allows the state of Nebraska, this allows them to guarantee that that person offering services in this state will cooperate in providing information. Without that, I think from a legal standpoint, there could be delays in the other direction, on the part of the vendor, and so we would not be able to, in an expeditious prompt manner, deal with any kind of complaints or other information necessary to deal with...with the dispensing of contact lenses to Nebraska residents.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, so they would...they would need to provide information to the department. In other words, the department is trying to ensure that they will provide information to any other state where they are licensed with regard to their business in Nebraska, that's what it's all about, I take it?

SENATOR BYARS: Yes.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, I think I understand that better. With