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words in the right places, it would read implements of husbandry licensed as provided for in Section 60-33. That's one category, or vehicles designed for and used primarily for tilling the soil and harvesting crops, as a second category. Could you explain why we now have two categories instead of one?

SENATOR KOCH: In reference to which...what page are you on now, Senator Beutler?

SENATOR BEUTLER: This is the page that's being amended. This would be Page 33, lines 3...line 3 of the green copy of the moped bill.

SENATOR KOCH: Which line again, I'm sorry I didn't get that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Line 3, Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Well, I would imagine if you're going to discuss the word "tilling", I would imagine we'd have to use some judgment here that we didn't...this vehicle is not used for the purpose of tilling, but if you want to talk about implements of husbandry, and I think Senator Kremer gave the best definition a moment ago, is that it's an implement or machine that generally is related to the business of crop production, or directly related agriculture, and so we may be getting involved here with a definitive definition of tilling, that this may not fit that definition. But what I'm concerned about when we speak about the implement of husbandry, in my mind it fits. I have no concern about that, and I expect that we could add an amendment to the business of tilling and say, "or other implements of husbandry that directly relate to the business of agriculture and its industry." I have no problem with this, Senator Beutler, except if you use the word "tilling" then this vehicle is not used to till, at least as far as I have observed them in the fields. It's strictly an applicator of fertilizer which is generally liquid.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Are there vehicles other than implements of husbandry that are used for tilling and harvesting crops?

SENATOR KOCH: Certainly. You have self-propelled machines of all types....combines, cornpickers, you name it. Those are all in this category.