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Matt Pagel:

This amendment draft requires the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection to promulgate rules to specify the requirements for selling advanced biofuel and cellulosic biofuel.

I have, by the way, concluded that cellulosic biofuel is a kind of advanced biofuel.

In talking to Kevin LeRoy, it appears that it would be possible to come up with percentages that would roughly translate the federal volume requirements into percentages, using projections of total fuel sales from the federal Energy Information Administration. It seems, though, that those projections would not be measuring the sales of the same substances as are used in the bill as the denominator for determining the percentage of renewable fuel sold. Also, the percentages would be based on projections that may change as we get closer to 2014.

Please let me know if you have any questions or want any changes in the draft.

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