

some good for Nebraskans in terms of making sure that if you do get these lemons, you have got a solution and a remedy and maybe even more important than that send a strong signal to the manufacturers that we do expect quality in these vehicles when we are paying thousands... tens of thousands of dollars for them any more and they better shape up or they are going to have to be paying for the responsibility because we finally fixed it. I urge you to adopt the committee amendments.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Goll, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR GOLL: Mr. Speaker, I want to speak on the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, a question for Senator DeCamp, if I may.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator DeCamp, will you respond?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Yes.

SENATOR BEUTLER: The committee had a long hearing on this and I am sure my question is probably easily answered. But under the law right now there is no requirement for a manufacturer to give an express warranty of any type, is there?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Say that question again. Under existing law what?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Under current law is there any requirement for a manufacturer to give an express warranty?

SENATOR DeCAMP: If there is a written warranty, it certainly is an express one. There is no requirement as such but all manufacturers do give a written warranty and when we do give a...when it is given as a written warranty we are saying they are going to live up to it.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Defines what it is.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Let me just express my concern which is maybe not real but I hope you will take a look at it. It is my impression that there is currently no provision in law that requires any written or express warranty. If that is the situation, this whole concept is geared, as I understand it, towards the express warranty that is given. If