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this can be used without putting numbers into the mix. We didn't have this until '94, as a written evaluation status, and it has been done away with now. I've been assured of that by Colonel Nesbitt. But it could come back if administration changes again. I just don't believe we should have quotas because if you've got a quota, like I say, you can go out there and write, say you got 100 you're supposed to write, I could have wrote that many coming in on the Interstate 80 last night from Grand Island, and I wouldn't have had anything to do the rest of the month of February if I didn't want to, and I don't believe in that.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, any...anyway, the way I read that, you...if a supervisor is talking to his trooper about not having written enough tickets, he's indirectly talking about quotas. I...I'm concerned, like Senator Tyson is, about micromanagement here both ways. I am not in favor of quotas, I don't think. I don't know enough about the issue to know, but I take your word that we don't need quotas. I'm just concerned that we are going so far here in statute that we're taking away some serious prerogatives of management in the measuring of performance of a trooper. I don't know, I assume you measure miles driven. I assume number of accidents in the district are measured, but those accidents are after the fact. I don't know how you measure prevention other than having a feel of the tickets. So even if you do 100 a month,...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...they drop to 50 and the supervisor talks about it, it looks like to me a trooper would say, you can't measure me on quotas, directly or indirectly; you can't talk about the number of tickets that I have. That's all I'm saying. I...maybe I'm measuring minute parts of the information but I say I don't have a big concern with this bill. I wasn't...but I am concerned that we're going too far in state statute about one source, I think, of performance measurement and that indirectly really does bother me, in terms of definition, at this point. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Chambers, on the advancement of LB 204.