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have his license reinstated on that vehicle, he would have in his possession, you know, the credit slip indicating the number of months that he or she was to receive credit.

SENATOR KAHLE: Well, the bill has progressed to the point now where I don't think I should argue that much about it but it really bothers me that the way some of our mechanics work and as hard as it is to get parts many times your personal vehicle would be out of commission for a month, and if this would make it possible then to apply for a refund, I think it would really complicate things in the county offices.

SENATOR WARNER: It is not a refund any more, Senator Kahle. It is a credit so I think that is less of a problem than the refund might be.

SENATOR KAHLE: It would be although they would have to keep a separate set of books on it which would be almost the same thing. You wouldn't have to write the check, and if the guy doesn't relicense, then what do you do with the money.

SENATOR WARNER: If it is not used within a year, why, of course, it expires, the credit.

SENATOR KAHLE: Originally, Senator Warner, this was more to help the trucking industry, was it not?

SENATOR WARNER: I think obviously, Senator Kahle, the larger the registration fee, why I suppose one would say the more likely it would need to be used and as I understand it, you talk about trucks, it primarily would be small operators with one or two vehicles probably that would be in this...find themselves in this kind of situation. Large fleet operations probably have a supply of trucks that it takes into account that one is going to be in the shop most of time out of the group.

SENATOR KAHLE: I certainly don't object to that but I would lot rather the bill didn't have the private motor vehicles in it, private personal automobiles, because I think it is really going to complicate things. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Any closing, Senator Warner? Motion then is to return LB 227 to Select File for the purpose of the specific amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.