

there who are not going to wear the seat belt. Maybe what you ought to do is give some jail time too, or make it a Class IA felony, then you really have put some teeth into this travesty. But I hope you'll keep in mind the fact that these belts need not work and there is no problem for the manufacturer should they not work. So Senator Haberman's amendment ought to be adopted.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Morehead, and then Senator Beutler.

SENATOR MOREHEAD: I would like to point out that as long as you don't break any other driving offense there is no reason for one to be stopped for noncompliance of this law. We pass laws for far less compelling reasons than this one, and the overriding concern is for safety. People are not putting belts in cars that are not safe. It boils down to what Senator Beutler said. If you are for the bill then vote against Senator Haberman's amendment. If you are against the bill then support it.

PRESIDENT: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: (Response inaudible.)

PRESIDENT: Question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. I'll put the question to you. There are people asking for recognition. I'll put the question to you, shall the debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. We are voting to cease debate on the Haberman amendment. Will you please record your vote, aye or nay. We are voting to cease debate. Please record your vote aye or nay. Please record your vote. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays to cease debate.

PRESIDENT: The motion prevails. The debate has closed. Senator Haberman, you may close on the famous Haberman amendment.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President, members of the body, what the amendment does is it makes it legal for 411,796 people. If you pass this bill without my amendment, there are 411,000 plus people that cannot conform to the law. I do not think that this body should pass legislation that that