

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Conway.

SENATOR CONWAY: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, pursuant to an amendment that I was able to bring forward during General File, I have since become aware, through the Department of Revenue, that that particular amendment does require a very small technical change in a section farther down the line. And because of that technical change I am proposing this amendment. What it would basically do is...all it is really doing is taking a "not" out of a sentence that earlier, as the Department of Revenue had administered this process, and we looked at 10 percent allowable expenses in that area, and we have now since taken that tax function out of that 10 percent. What we are requesting is that as the statement is rendered from the distributor to those people who are buying those pickle cards, that a statement be designed such that it does not include or does not separate the state tax on that invoice. So it's...

SPEAKER NICHOL: Excuse me, Senator Conway, I want to raise the call. Thank you.

SENATOR CONWAY: So basically all it is is a technical amendment, like I say, it was brought to me by the Department of Revenue, that strikes a "not" relative to information regarding the invoice that must be provided along with the sale of those pickle cards. So it is purely a technical change. There was also a second point on there in terms of an E clause for the manufacturers and operators that, by removing the E clause on the specified sections, would allow those operators, when they buy their licenses, to get a full years use out of that license rather than paying a full price and only have a partial year. So two very small technical changes, like I say, that were brought to us by the Revenue Department that will help clarify the administration of this particular piece of legislation. So, with that, I move for its advancement.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Hefner, please.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and colleagues, I rise to suppose the Conway amendment. I talked to the Department of Revenue. We feel that it is a minor amendment, but they certainly need it. Also I want to voice my support that we did not add LB 144 into this bill because I think this would