

the bill for that amendment. There is also some language in the amendment that refers to the provisions of statute that the Department of Motor Vehicles must adopt in order to enforce the bill. Those are technical amendments which Senator Morehead has offered along with the amendment that I have. But the principal reason for the return of the bill is to correct that problem which I should have caught and did not catch and so I ask your indulgence in that area. I would now like to ask Senator Labeledz to take a moment or two of time and explain her amendment also.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Labeledz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. President. The amendment following this amendment is an amendment that I put in the record here about two weeks ago, because when we had LB 496 on the floor the last time on Select File, I questioned Senator Morehead and a few others about what would happen as far as the records are concerned when it comes to taking a driver's license test. Well, I checked it out and this...the violation of not wearing a seat belt would go on the record, and if you had no other violation other than the seat belt, you would have to take the test regardless. So what I am asking in the portion of the amendment that Senator Schmit has, and we did this in order to save time, otherwise we would have to bring it back twice, and advance it back twice, I am asking that the violation for not wearing a safety belt as prescribed in Section 1 of this act go along with also what we have in there of not going on the record, parking violations, violations for operating a motor vehicle without a valid operator's license in the operator's possession, muffler violations, overwidth, overweight, or overlength violations, motorcycle protective headgear violations, or overloading of trucks. So what we are doing we are adding the violation of not wearing a safety belt along with all of those so it won't appear on the record, and those people that haven't had a moving violation for four years would not have to take the test if they did at one time or another be caught without wearing a seat belt. I do not support the bill but I strongly support this amendment because I am sure that LB 496 will advance and I think it should be done correctly, and Senator Schmit is right, and so is Senator Morehead, that if we are going to advance LB 496 to Final Reading, it should be in good form and both of these amendments are very necessary.