

truck drivers out there who are not represented by Jim Preston. I'm not knocking Jim Preston's organization at all. But the fact of the matter is there are a lot of independent truck drivers who are perhaps farmers. This bill applies to pickups and trailers. Now if we really want to set up a different mechanism trying to direct our attention, and I understand that, there are a lot of the over the road truckers that are following right down the tailpipe of the truck in front of them. I know that. So we are saying we are going to change the law to get those guys. But I'll tell you, you're getting a lot more than those guys. You are getting a lot more than those guys, and I think you better think about it long and hard. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion is the adoption of the Vickers amendment to LB 437. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Twenty-five votes required, as you know. Motion is the adoption of the Vickers amendment to LB 437. Please record your vote. Please record your vote on the adoption of the Vickers amendment to LB 437. The Chair will allow 30 seconds for the recording of votes. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Vickers' amendment.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted. What's the next amendment?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Vickers would move to amend. (Vickers third amendment appears on page 868 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President, this is the amendment that if this amendment is adopted then I can certainly support the bill and I would hope the rest of you would too. I'm not sure it is the correct way to go, but if the patrol needs...feels they need a mechanism because they can't enforce the current law, then I would urge you to open your bill books and look at LB 437. Read Section 1, subsection 1. It says that the driver of a motor vehicle shall not follow another vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent, and such driver shall have due