

Senator Haberman.      Boy, you talk about...thank you, Senator Haberman, for that explanation, and I move for the advancement of the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      You have heard the motion by Senator Nelson to adopt the amendment to 308. Those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed nay. We are voting on the Nelson amendment to LB 308. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK:      27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Nelson's amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      The amendment is adopted.

CLERK:      I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE:      Mr. Speaker, I move LB 308 be advanced.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      You have heard the motion to advance LB 308, as amended. Those in favor say aye. Those nay. The ayes have it. The motion carried. The bill is advanced.

CLERK:      Mr. President, the next bill LB 254 and I have no amendments to that bill, Senator.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE:      Mr. Speaker, I move LB 254 be advanced.

SPEAKER BARRETT:      You have heard the motion to advance the bill. Those in favor say aye. I beg your pardon. Senator Chambers, your light just went on.

SENATOR CHAMBERS:      Yes. Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, I have talked to Senator Peterson about this bill and the main problem with this whole process that the bill deals with is that the county attorney has been placed into a position of collecting debts for private individuals. Another thing that is bad about the situation is that you have to pay to obtain enforcement of the law. If the county attorney does have, in fact, the responsibility to do this kind of activity, the citizen should not have to plunk down some money to get it done. If I had my car stolen, a parallel situation would be for me to go to the county attorney, and he says, okay, Ernie, give me