

because once we put this tax on, regardless of whether we say one, two, three or four year sunset we are never going to take it off. I'm going to vote for one year but again I really think it is an exercise in futility. You know one thing harder to eliminate than government program is government revenue sources. I think we had a classic example of that this year, in fact in the eight years that I have been a legislator I was totally amazed that we eliminated the inspection program. But you notice we didn't eliminate the fee. This is going to work out the same way. Once this tax is on it is going to stay on. I just as a matter of principle am going to vote for one year. But I really think that we are going to find out that ten years down the road that tax is still going to be on.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Thank you Senator Clark and members of the Legislature. I will support Senator Warner's amendment. There is nothing that would stop Senator Landis from coming in next year with a piece of legislation to look at this item or any other item in revenue or appropriations. The fact that it does not have a sunset at all on it does not preclude anyone from coming in with a proposed piece of legislation to look at the funding on it. It does not even need a sunset clause in order to have someone look at this particular funding. I am aware that we are looking at at least a two year period when we are making appropriations this year for the future cost. With this one year amendment on the bill it would force, in my estimation an additional charge to the people of Nebraska that would be unnecessary if it had a two year sunset. Therefore I shall support the two year sunset proposal.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I too don't think that it makes much difference whether we are going to do this one, two or indefinitely, but I would like to get the show on the road, so thank you.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Warner, do you wish to close?

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature a couple of things that have been said, one is the \$3.75 fee that was referred to has been eliminated, as most of you will recall it was done the other day on the motor vehicle inspection. My reasons for offering the amendment, no one has talked to me in case that is the thought, is