

on that. She says that is authenticated and that that conviction will stand. That's all we're doing. Now we could send those back to the other states. They may or may not get around to sending it, returning it with a seal on it. It's putting the burden on the director of motor vehicles in this state in order to facilitate this process. We're not trying to do anything that is not being done except we're trying to do it in a more expeditious manner. So I would ask this body to reject the kill motion and advance the bill.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, Senator Lamb's strongest argument in favor of this bill is based on convenience of those who want to operate electronic equipment in transmitting information about people. The FBI, Senator Lamb, is kind of in that line too because they want to put together a very sophisticated surveillance system to keep track of people who they're checking out but not for the purpose of arrest or charge with any crime. They just want to know what citizens are doing. Fortunately, the FBI is being attacked for what they're doing by national organizations and others who are concerned about what happens to the citizens. Now most people don't become concerned about these things until it happens to them, a friend, a member of their family or a constituent. Then what happens is that these people come to me, these senators and others, and say, Ernie, I heard you talking about that the other day or whenever it was and can you help me get some information on that or will you help me answer this question or whatever? The time for us to ask the questions is now. If the body feels that this is adequate to safeguard the rights and interests of the residents of this state, then they will vote for the bill. And they shouldn't be concerned if problems develop in the future. They should just say that is the law, the law is the law and it's to be done in this fashion. Because a truck driver might have a driver's license in more than one state is not a reason that I would vote for a bill like this which, on its face, is not well drafted and the information we need to understand the rationale for it is not even here for us. We don't know how the department deals in this area now because they didn't give the information to Senator Lamb. And what it really shows is not a lack of regard for Senator Lamb but a lack of regard for the Legislature. The Legislature is not thoughtful. The Legislature does not ask meaningful questions so just send anything over there and the Legislature will adopt