

say "felony" only.

SENATOR ASHFORD: All right. Well, I would, with that, Mr. Speaker, I would put an amendment up on that and withdraw this amendment at this time.

SPEAKER BAACK: While we're drafting this amendment, I'd like to introduce some guests of the Legislature. Under the south balcony, we have some guests of Senator Schrock, and they are Larry and Joan Burk from Elwood, Nebraska, and Scott Davis from Bertrand, Nebraska. They're all members of the Tri-Basin NRD. Would you please rise and be welcomed by your Legislature. Thanks for being with us. Senator Ashford, would you please come up here and we'll verify what you're trying to do with this amendment, please. Mr. Clerk, an amendment on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Ashford would move to amend the bill. (Read Ashford amendment, FA2, as found on pages 435-36 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Ashford.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Yes. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I believe that that amendment solves at least some of my problem. I know some of my colleagues have some concern with the use of the word "ordinance", and I probably do, too. But, at this point, I would...I would go along with Senator Elmer's suggestion that we drop "rule and regulation", at this point. And, I would move that amendment for the reasons that I stated in my prior statements. And, it has to be amended in a couple of places, Mr. Clerk, I believe. I'm sorry. There are a couple of references, in line 15, as well, and line 13.

CLERK: Line 13, too, Senator? Let me walk through this with you, if I may. Right, line 13, strike it there?

SENATOR ASHFORD: Line 13, line 15, line 16, also line 22, and 25.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Ashford, did you have anything else that you wanted to add?

SENATOR ASHFORD: I guess only, also on line 13, Senator Pirsch has pointed out that there is also a reference in line 13. Okay.