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followed by Senator Nelson.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Madam Chairman, members of the body, I think Senator Lynch did explain that the Urban Affairs Committee heard LB 1087 on February 4th. It did, like Senator Lynch said, advance out of committee with no dissenting votes, and so I think it is good to do both measures together because they fit in together, so I would simply ask the body to support this amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Hartnett. Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: Yes, I, too, support Senator Lynch amending this into LB 933. They work hand in hand and I see no reason for us to take additional time on the other bill. What my bill will do is frequently or most of the time the handicapped parking, people that are parking in handicapped parking are not ticketed, and the reason being is the police do not have time to stand around and try to encounter that individual at the time. What my bill would say, if the identity of the person who parked a vehicle in violation of this section cannot be readily determined, the owner or person in whose name the vehicle is registered shall be held responsible for such violation, and shall be guilty and subject to penalties and procedures in this. I mentioned this to my coffee last Saturday, and there happened to be a policeman in the crowd, which goes back to Senator Lynch's bill, and he said, well, you should go one step further. You should have that apply to private property, too, because, again, they could not enforce it. So with that, I hope you support Senator Lynch's amendment and my...talk real fast on this, I know 15 minutes go.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Nelson. Does anyone else wish to speak to the Lynch amendment? Seeing none, do you have further closing? We will now vote on the Lynch amendment to LB 933. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted on the Lynch amendment? Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of Senator Lynch's amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The amendment is adopted. Do you have further opening, Senator Nelson?