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SENATOR BEYER: No.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Motor vehicular homicide is a Class IV felony. It has no minimum. So if you commit motor vehicular homicide there is no minimum sentence you have to serve so it's zero to five years so the judge can give you no time, and under this amendment as drafted on page 5 the operator's license of such person shall be revoked for the same period that he or she is ordered to jail. So if you commit motor vehicular homicide and get no jail time, your license is not revoked either under this amendment. How do you like that?

SENATOR BEYER: Well you're in jail. You can't use your license anyhow.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, you get no jail time. Under a Class IV felony there is no minimum.

SENATOR BEYER: You mean if the judge does not give you jail time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Right, the judge does not give you...

SENATOR WARNER: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...jail time. Let's say you're his buddy, so he gives you no jail time. Then your license is not revoked either based on this because the revocation is for the same period that you're jailed.

SENATOR BEYER: Well, I'd have to look at that some more.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Let me ask Senator Kristensen. Maybe I'm misconstruing the amendment.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And we're almost out of time so you can take whatever time is left

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Okay. I was waiting for your question, I'm sorry.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well since we're out of time let's wait till