

SENATOR AVERY: No, I did state...I tried...I am sure I stated that it did three things, and that was the three things that I had stated; it eliminates the point, it drops the speed limit from 70 to 75, and it changes on the interstate from 25 to 10. Now I don't know if that was heard, but...

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I don't think anybody heard that, if you said it. I think you might have been talking to yourself. But, anyway, I oppose this amendment. I think if you want to try to discuss 75 again, you should file a reconsideration motion. It's...he is trying to put some candy out to get the penalties lowered just so he can get the actual speed limit lowered, and that I think are two separate issues. We should talk about the penalties with Senator Chambers' motion, and then we've already talked about 75. We've already got the 60 mile an hour settled. Let's go on now to the penalties, and keep going back and forth. Senator Schrock has given me some candy here to try to get me to change my mind, but I think this is a bad amendment and we need to go on. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Schellpeper. Senator Klein.

SENATOR KLEIN: Thank you, Madam Chairman, and members. I, also, rise to oppose the Avery amendment. I think, like he said, if it is going to cost the truckers millions of dollars to drive 75, they can drive at 65. There is nobody standing on their foot. I don't...I don't care, whatever we drive over the minimum is plenty good. So, anyway, I just rise to oppose it and I'll give the rest of my time to Senator Chambers, if he wants it.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Chambers, there is four and a half minutes remaining if you would like the time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam President, I want to thank Senator Klein for giving me the time, but I think with the discussion that we've had on Senator Avery's amendment, I doubt that it will be successful. I certainly hope it is not, and based on that, I will not take the rest of the time, but, thank you very much, Senator Klein.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator