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is always an officer of the court.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR BROMM: And, if the prosecutor fails to comply with the instructions that we have put in statute, I think he is...I think one of the ramifications is that he is subject to sanction by the court for not complying with the duties and the law as a prosecutor, and that is one of the first things that pops into my mind in response to Senator Kristensen's questions about what happens if you don't do this. I think you're subject to...possibly the court might take a dim view of that, if that were brought to the court's attention. I'm...I'm struggling a little bit, I think we need to make a good record about what we think this due diligence means, I mean I think it has a legal meaning, and what is a certificate or the certification that we're saying must be offered here. I think due diligence means using...using the means that you have available to check the record of the defendant in those states where you have knowledge that...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BROMM: ...he has resided. Now, if you have the availability of computers, you check computers. If there is someplace that...I think everybody has availability of checking the driver records through our DMV, and so I think they would have to do that. And, if something shows up at DMV that shows that they came from Iowa, their license was issued in Nebraska two years ago, but they resided in Iowa prior to that, I think then they need to check Iowa.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR BROMM: What...what is your comment in that respect?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I agree. And based on what you had said this document would have to contain, we could even maybe prescribe the form of this certification where the steps would have to have been taken to determine, through the means available, where this person lived, and not just say the prosecutor says I don't have personal knowledge that the defendant lived in any other