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which especially should be uniform if you're going to retain the provisions to which Senator Chambers objects, because those are pretty strong provisions, and then move forward from that more clear construct. That would be the suggestion of the amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You've heard the opening on the Beutler amendment, FA1304 to LB 454. Open for discussion on that amendment. You can tell me whether you want to speak to the amendment or the bill itself. Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. I have to remind you, in my particular case, I signed on this bill because Senator Aguilar told me some of the points that I thought were relevant and should be in fact enforced by the state of Nebraska and the courts, because of the...and when he explained to me, and he explained it here this afternoon and this morning, that giving some of these convicted of drug crimes a second chance. Now, Senator Chambers has come up with some arguments about it. And I guess my concern, or my question now are in regards to, if you're told by the courts to carry out some type of order, shouldn't there be some sanctions? Senator Chambers?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, will you respond to a question?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes I will.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I...I'm trying to figure out, what kind of a sanction do you use if somebody is given an order by the court to do something and they don't do it? Are there no way that you can enforce, no sanctions that will be imposed if you don't carry out the orders that the court has given you?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Vrtiska, if a judge enters an order, you can be punished by contempt of court for violating the court's order, and you can go to jail until you purge yourself of that contempt, by meaning you'll obey. This is not a court order. This is a program like probation, where conditions are set down. If you violate a point in probation, that violation is not a crime. You are sent back and punished for the original offense because you didn't do what was necessary to avoid that