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suspend, revoke, cancel, and refuse to issue a new registration, and so on. And it also directs the State Patrol to go get those plates, and so on, if those check...that check is not made good or payment made within ten days. So they're bills that we felt all needed to be addressed. And I believe, with...at this time, and I see we're about out of time, but we'll let individual senators speak a little bit about each bill, and see where that takes us. With that, I would...that would be my opening statement on the committee amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Baker, did you wish to have anybody else use your time?

SENATOR BAKER: I...since Senator McDonald has the first of the group numerically, LB 832, I'd yield the rest of my time to Senator McDonald.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator McDonald.

SENATOR McDONALD: Mr. President, members of the body, I rise to support the committee amendment in LB 853, particularly Section 9, and that's the bill that I'm...the amendment that I'm concerned about. Under current law, when a student has a school permit violation, a judge's only option is to revoke the school permit. The student whose school permit was revoked can apply for a provisional operator's permit when they reach 16. Because the school permit was revoked, they're required to file an SR-22 for three years, and pay a \$125 reinstatement fee. The SR-22 throws them into the high-risk category, which makes their insurance premiums often four or five times higher than the standard insurance rates. The committee amendment adds two words to Section 60-4,124. All school permits will now be subject to impoundment or revocation. The judge will decide the proper punishment for a school permit violation. I encourage you to support the committee amendment to LB 853. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator McDonald. There's still a couple of minutes left, Senator Baker.

SENATOR BAKER: I would yield whatever additional time I have to Senator Langemeier, and if he doesn't use it all, then to