

NO BONES ABOUT IT

April 1, 2011

Well here we are again the beginning of spring, birds in the air flowers all blooming, the warmth of the sunshine beating down on that plastic shell covering your head and the sweat running down your forehead into your eyes because some legislator decided that the money that was being handed out by the insurance companies and the helmet manufactures was just too good to pass up.

Senate Bill 177 is being held up in the Senate Transportation Committee and the only reason I can figure is that Senator Breeden is getting pressure from the Democratic leadership. This means that the other Democrats are advising her to table the bill and let it die due to the fact that they think it has enough momentum to pass this time. Without getting the rest of the Senate on board, we will be fighting a very tough battle. Steven Horsford and Valerie Wiener are the floor leaders along with Mo Denis and Sheila Leslie as the majority whips in the Senate. The other Senate members have expressed interest in passing the bill. I honestly don't know what it will take or the best avenue to go but I just can't sit idly by and do nothing. I am in this for the long haul and intend to keep my promise to fight this to the end and as I have said before I can't do it alone. There are some of you out there that have the idea in your heads that we will never get it done and to that I say 'can't never did till he tried'. If you don't take a stand for your rights who will? ABATE of Southern Nevada along with BOLT and groups like the COC have all pitched in but not to the extent that they could have. Don't get me wrong, those of you that have helped thank you and those of you that haven't, now is the time.

I am including the e-mail addresses for these people in this letter:

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Senator Leslie sleslie@sen.state.nv.us

Senator Wiener vwiener@sen.state.nv.us

Senator Denis mdenis@sen.state.nv.us

If you received this copy of NO BONES ABOUT IT electronically you will be able to just click on the link and type the note to let these people you want SB 177 to pass. I have told you before that these e-mails help and I need you all to support this cause. When you get done writing these people you might want to look and see how the bill is doing. If you go to <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/AppCF/Opinion/76th2011/Poll/> and at the top of the page go to reports, the top 50 and see that as of this issue we have moved into the number five spot with 376 total votes. There are over 67,000 registered riders in the state and this is all the support we could get in an attempt to get this passed. Have all your friends and family respond to this e-mail whether they ride or not.

Well there's the long and short of it, I need you to help us to ride free in Nevada.

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RESISTANCE BECOMES DUTY

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