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Steve Rector
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RE: Letter of October 5, 2007

Dear Steve:

I am in receipt of your letter in regard to the National Traffic Safety Board and the September 11, 2007 statement suggesting that all states should mandate motorcycle helmet laws.

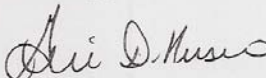
As the Chair of the Iowa House Transportation Committee, I am happy to inform you that I will not be proposing any legislation nor will I be supporting any legislation that requires motorcycle helmets in the State of Iowa.

I believe that the mobile rider education program and other programs that are sponsored by ABATE of Iowa, Inc. provide a more efficient manner in which to educate and eliminate motorcycle crashes.

As always I look forward to assisting you in preserving the current laws in regard to this issue.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,


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