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SENATOR WESELY: Well actually I think four to eight are now inspected but they are inspected sporadically so this just tries to get them more regularly inspected.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Okay, does that require then more employees at the Department of Social Services?

SENATOR WESELY: Some of those federal funds will go to that purpose.

SENATOR PIRSCH: And the federal funds though will cover that kind of increased then inspection.

SENATOR WESELY: That's right.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Thank you very much.

SENATOR WESELY: You bet.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Pirsch. Senator Rasmussen. Okay, there is no one else wishing to speak on the bill at this time. If we can just go to closing, Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Madam President and members, there were a lot of questions. I think they were good questions. I hope you understand the bill better. It's intent is the one to be positive. It's important legislation. I don't want to underestimate at all its impact on children and families in this state to try and upgrade and improve the quality of child care in the State of Nebraska. I'm very grateful that the federal government has moved forward and will provide the funding that we need to implement this legislation. It follows well with the previous legislation we passed. I think a lot of your concerns hopefully have been answered. If there are further concerns I would be happy to work with you. I'd ask for the advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Wesely. We'll now vote on the motion to advance LB 836. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of 836.