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simply add second class cities to the bill. So it covers both first class cities and second class cities. The amendment idea was the two cities of second class. With that, I'd ask for the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Hartnett. Senator Cudaback.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Madam President, members, I rise to support the amendment that Senator Hartnett has...has amended the bill to. And I will support it, and I will explain the bill later. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Does anyone else wish to address the committee amendments? Seeing none, we will now vote on the motion to adopt committee amendments. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted on the committee amendments? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the adoption of committee amendments.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The committee amendments are adopted. I'll recognize Senator Cudaback for opening on the bill itself.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Madam President, members, Senator Hartnett explained the bill. It's almost a technical bill. It was overlooked for the last several years. The bill deals with authority of the health board that cities must appoint. There are five members to the health board, currently they are the mayor, the physician, the city chief of police, and the president of the council, and one more member. Well, in the city manager type of government it poses a problem because the mayor is also the president of the council, so that leaves you one member short. So this bill simply adds a line that says there will be two members appointed whenever there is a city manager type of government. And Senator Hartnett and his committee also found that there was also two second class cities, was Valentine and Gordon, which this problem also existed in. So that would correct that problem also. So I would urge your support to include two other members where there is a city manager type of government. I urge your support for LB 119. If you have any questions, I would try to answer them. Thank you.

SENATOR HALL PRESIDING