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CLERK: Mr. President, LB 128, Senator Smith, I have Enrollment and Review amendments first of all, Senator.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. Chairman, I move that we adopt the amendments to LB 128.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator. We have amendments to the...E & R amendments to LB 128. All those in favor vote aye; those opposed nay. Those...start over, please. Those in favor say aye. Those opposed nay. Motion to adopt the E & R amendments is successful.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Beutler had an amendment printed, but he wishes to withdraw that. Senator, I now have Senator Beutler's AM0066 in front of me. (AM0066 is found on pages 356-357 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Lieutenant Governor Maurstad, members of the Legislature, this is a technical amendment designed to clean up some language relating to...to the penalty provisions of this particular bill. It's not cleaning up language that was Senator Tyson's or anything to do with his change, but merely taking advantage of the opportunity he was so kind to afford to clean up some language in an old statute that should have been cleaned up a long time ago. And so, essentially, what the amendment would do would be to drop the language in the two sections that deals with the terms "hard labor upon the streets or elsewhere" as an alternative kind of penalty that the city can impose, and "imprisonment until fines are paid", which is now limited under the law in different ways and is no longer an enforceable provision in any event. So that's all the amendment does. Senator Tyson's agreeable. The League of Municipalities is agreeable. I think everybody is agreeable to the amendment and I would give the rest of my time to Senator Tyson, should he be inclined to use it.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Tyson.