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hardest to keep up the good work that has been the hallmark of this committee for years. I've served on the committee now for two years. In my day-to-day life outside the Legislature, I serve as general counsel to Tagge Rutherford Financial Group. We do retirement planning. Typically, I do the legal work, but to remain safe as we talk to people about their retirement, I've become licensed with a Series 7 license, a Series 63 license. What those are, are NASD, National Association of Securities Dealers, licenses that say essentially I understand the subject matter. I also have a life insurance license with the state of Nebraska. Again, I don't sell those products but I have the licenses basically for the education purpose. With that, I would be grateful for your support. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Bruning. Senator Stuhr.

SENATOR STUHR: Mr. Speaker and fellow colleagues, I would like to place my name in nomination for the Retirement Chairman. As most of you know, education is my passion, but I have served as Chair for the last two years and would continue and very much like to serve you in that capacity. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Stuhr. Senator Redfield.

SENATOR REDFIELD: Thank you, fellow members of the Legislature. As you know, I sent a letter to you placing my name in nomination for this office. At that time, I indicated that if at any time Senator Stuhr were to place her name in nomination, I would step aside. And so I stand today to withdraw my name knowing that she has invested two years in that committee. She has built up an excellent staff and they have done a lot of legwork in that committee. And so it is with pleasure that I stand aside. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Redfield. Are there further nominations? If not, we will proceed to vote for either Senator Stuhr or Senator Bruning. Name the following three individuals to serve as tellers: Senator Wehrbein, Senator Brashear, and Senator Cunningham. Chairperson of the Retirement Systems Committee is Senator Bruning. Senator Bruning,