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with a bachelor's degree or an associate's degree in a related field can...can get some credit for the licensing education requirements. In other words, for the first three years they don't have to take that educational requirement. They will get credit for what they learned in school and hopefully that will be a little fairer and hopefully maybe that will even encourage a little bit trying to attract people who do have some sort of a degree (sic) into the program. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Open for discussion on the substituted amendment, Senator Brown.

SENATOR BROWN: Mr. President, members, I will just say that this...this amendment hopefully will do what...one of the things that we want to accomplish, which is to say that...that the educational level of individuals is important to kids. And, with that, I would support the amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Brown. Senator Beutler, there are no further lights. Senator Beutler waives. The question before the body is, shall the Beutler amendment be adopted to LB 400? Mr. Clerk, what is that number? FA43. The question before the body is, shall FA43 be adopted to LB 400? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. We're voting on the Beutler amendment to LB 400, FA43. Have you all voted who care to? Have you all voted? Record, please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The Beutler amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, I have nothing further pending on the bill.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Open for discussion on the bill. Seeing no lights, Senator Erdman for a motion.

SENATOR ERLMAN: Mr. President, I move the advancement of LB 400 to E & R for engrossing.