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LB 357A, 357, 657, 851, 852
LR 258

ASSISTANT CLERK: 27 yeas, 0 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion to advance was successful. Items for the record, Mr. Clerk?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 851 as correctly engrossed, LB 852 as correctly engrossed. Health and Human Services reports favorably on a confirmation report. A new resolution, LR 258 by the Appropriations Committee. Amendments to be printed: Senator Vrtiska to LB 657 and Senator Tyson to LB 657. (Legislative Journal pages 2235-2236.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk, LB 357A.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LB 357A was introduced by Senator Brashear. (Read title.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: You are recognized to open on your advancement of LB 357A.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Mr. President, members of the body, LB 357A is, of course, the appropriation bill. We're going to have to do an amendment to effect the reduction, which I discussed when I was talking about LB 357. I'll urge the advancement of this bill after we've done an amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Brashear would move to amend with AM2176. (Legislative Journal page 2237.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: You are recognized on your amendment, Senator Brashear.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the body, to summarize, the amendment brings the bill into line, as I indicated, with the budget, with the Governor's allocations. We are...we would be appropriating \$421,000 for Fiscal