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Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: LB 213 does pass. Members, I would like to announce that you've had distributed to you a Milky Way, fun-sized, birthday recognition for Senator Kruse for some birthday, and it is topped with an addition furnished by Senator Byars. So congratulations, Senator Kruse. LB 214E.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 214 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BROMM: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 214E pass with the emergency clause attached? All in favor vote aye, and opposed nay. Please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read, Legislative Journal pages 654-655.) Vote is 47 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: LB 214 does pass with the emergency clause. The next bill is LB 216 and the first vote will be to suspend the at-large reading. Excuse me. Before we take the motion up, we do have motions on this bill. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, with respect to LB 216, I do have amendments offered. The first one is from Senator Beutler. This one is AM0368, Senator, with a note to withdraw. Mr. President, Senator Beutler would move to amend...move to return the bill to Select File for specific amendment. That's AM0542. (Legislative Journal page 655.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Beutler, you're recognized to open on your motion.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, this bill is generally the Department of Insurance bill that deals with a number of different topics, but one of the topics in the bill makes a major sort of policy change with regard to the filing of forms and indicates, you may recall, that a new system with regard to at least certain types of policies is going to be put into place, a system that's called file and use, and the