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                             LR 47

covered in the Governor's budget request. I ask for your support in advancing LB 503A in order to fund these requirements. Thank you.

SPEAKER BRASHEAR PRESIDING

SPEAKER BRASHEAR: Thank you, Senator Stuhr. You have heard the opening on LB 503A. Discussion? Seeing none, Senator Stuhr, to close. Senator Stuhr waives closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 503A. All in favor signify by voting aye; those opposed, nay. Have you all voted? Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 503A.

SPEAKER BRASHEAR: LB 503A is advanced. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LR 47. Thank you. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 306A, introduced by Senator Byars. (Read title.)

SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Byars, you're recognized to open.

SENATOR BYARS: Thank you, Mr. President. LB 306A is the appropriations bill that follows LB 306, which requires criminal background checks for certain healthcare professionals. It is a cash funded appropriation of \$16,500, which comes from the Professional and Occupational Credentialing Cash Fund, and is only that--\$16,500 cash funded. And I would ask that you advance LB 306A.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Byars. You've heard the opening on LB 306A. Open for discussion. Seeing no lights on, Senator Byars, did you wish...he waives the opportunity to close. The question before the body is, shall LB 306A advance to E & R Initial? All in favor vote aye; those opposed, nay. Voting on advancement of LB 306A. Have you all voted on the