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hope that we don't have a long, hard-fought debate on Select File, because this is an area that, even though I may be...my numbers don't show the same thing that he shows, and I...but I maybe do agree with him at some point, and I'm hoping that we can sit down and work this out before Select File. So I'm hoping to allieve you...alleviate you of that pain later on. So Senator Beutler, I do want to sit down with you, so I hope you understand that and hope we can accomplish that. I do also appreciate the time that all of you have spent, and I especially want to thank Senator Combs and Senator Redfield for the many hours that they've put in helping me. Senator Brashear acknowledged my work and my staff's work, but if it wouldn't have been for those two senators and their offices, we wouldn't be where we are today. So I would just ask for your support for this bill. And hopefully, any other problems we have with it we'll have worked out before you have to deal with it again. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Cunningham. You've heard the closing on advancement of LB 739. The question before the body is, shall LB 739 advance to E & R Initial? All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. The question before the body is advancement of LB 739. Have you all voted on the question who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 42 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 739.

SENATOR CUDABACK: LB 739 does advance. Mr. Clerk, do you have any items?

CLERK: Not at this time, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Okay, thank you. Mr. Clerk, LR 12CA.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 12CA is a constitutional amendment proposed by Senator Schimek. It would propose an amendment to Article III, Section 7, of the Nebraska Constitution. The resolution was introduced on January 11 of this year, at that time referred to the Executive Board for public hearing. Resolution was advanced to General File. There are Executive