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they need to go rather than arbitrarily coming up with a number and a boundary that, in my opinion, does not come about with a great deal of forethought. We need to spend a little more time, and perhaps another time is better than the present, and that is why I am withdrawing AM1610 and hope that we can continue to work on the same concepts at a later date. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Smith. AM1610 is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk, items for the record, please?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a Reference report referring certain gubernatorial appointees to standing committee for confirmation hearing; study resolutions LR 145, LR 146, LR 147; Senator Bourne, an amendment to LB 117; Senator Chambers to LB 425, LB 427; and a new A bill. (Read LB 312A by title for the first time, Legislative Journal pages 1553-1558.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, a priority motion: Senator Louden would move to reconsider the vote taken on Senator Redfield's amendment, AM1615.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Louden, you're recognized to open on your reconsideration motion to the Redfield.

SENATOR LOUDEN: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Legislature. This, I think, is quite an important amendment that Senator Redfield brought forward for this LB 312. This gives it some accountability in there. This sets up something that we know has happened at times when corporations came into an area and set up. A certain amount of employment was supposed to be set...brought forwards and, as time went on, some place along the line everything broke down and, consequently, the job total wasn't there. On this amendment, I wasn't present on the floor when it was voted on. It was a close vote, so I feel at this time that it would be a good idea to bring this forward again and reconsider the vote to really see if something this important should be considered and probably used in part of the LB 312 package. Thank you, Mr. President.