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of folks in rural areas where there is no common carrier out there within 50 or 60 miles. It provides some very much needed flexibility, as well as saving the state several hundred thousand dollars on their fiscal note, as they estimate. So I would ask for adoption of AM2307. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Baker. You've heard the closing on the committee amendments to LB 1069. Question before the body is, shall those amendments be adopted? All in favor vote aye; opposed to the motion vote nay. Have you all voted who wish to? Voting on adoption of the committee amendments, offered by Chairman of committee, Senator Baker. Please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of committee amendments, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The committee amendments are adopted.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Baker would offer AM2585. (Legislative Journal page 976.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Baker, to open on your amendment to the bill itself, AM2585.

SENATOR BAKER: Thank you, Senator Cudaback and members. This was LB 808...I'm sorry, LB 801. It was one of those that if you look at the committee amendment...or committee statement, there was no opposition. There was no testimony on this. What the amendment does is strike some sections of statute, specifically, Section 75-383 and 75-384, which were...which are statutes dealing with intrastate transport of hazardous materials. Those have been preempted by federal rules and regulations, and we have adopted that in LB 1007, which has already been passed. And I would ask that you adopt amendment AM2585 to LB 1069. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Baker. You've heard the opening on AM2585 to LB 1069. Open for discussion. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Baker, just a quick question. Is the