

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wesely would move to amend. Senator, I have AM2487 in front of me.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Wesely, on your own amendment.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you. Mr. Speaker and members, in further working with the Department of Health on cleaning up their statutes, I have passed out, for your information, a one-page front and back summary of this amendment, 2487. It's a quite lengthy amendment and that's why it's not in your black book. But, in any event, it is essentially clean-up legislation dealing with the various licensure activities of the Department of Health, dealing with fees, dealing with obsolete terms, changing language and, from what I can tell in looking at it, it is a technical amendment trying to clean up statutes. You do have a summary in front of you, and if you have questions, I would be happy to get into it, but I really don't think that this is of major substance and is intended by the department to clean up some different problems they have. So I would move this amendment, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Discussion on the Wesely amendment to LB 1064. Senator Langford.

SENATOR LANGFORD: Mr. President, I would like to ask Senator Wesely some questions if he would yield.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Would you respond, Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Uh-huh.

SENATOR LANGFORD: Since we don't have a copy of the amendment, I would like some explanation on Section 11 and Section 12. Do interns, right now, practice as...do they do internships in Nebraska right now?

SENATOR WESELY: Yes, they can, uh-huh.

SENATOR LANGFORD: And you are doing away with that, I see.

SENATOR WESELY: No. No. What it does is clarify that during their internship they can practice podiatry and chiropractic. I know the summary is a little confusing but that's the intent.

SENATOR LANGFORD: We...we...since we don't have the actual