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CLERK: Mr. President, the first report I have is by the General Affairs Committee, and the report is found on page 100, and it confirms the appointment of Joseph Pinhero, William Skarda and Emmett Smith.

PRESIDENT: Senator Elmer, can you help?

SENATOR ELMER: Thank you, Mr. President. In the absence of our esteemed Chairman, Senator Smith, she asked me to give this report to the body for your consideration in the Governor's appointments of Mr. Joseph Pinhero, Mr. Emmett Smith to the Electrical Board, and to serve five year terms. The Governor also recently appointed Mr. William Skarda, an illustrious past member of this body, to the Liquor Control Commission, to receive a six year term. The General Affairs Committee conducted confirmation hearings for the appointments and found these three individuals are knowledgeable and capable of fulfilling the duties required in their new roles, if their appointments are approved by this body. Therefore, the General Affairs Committee, by unanimous vote of the members present at Monday evening's Executive Session, recommends that all of these three appointments be confirmed by the Legislature, and I would urge your support. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any further discussion? Senator Rod Johnson. The question is the confirmation report of the General Affairs Committee. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the General Affairs confirmation report.

PRESIDENT: The confirmation report is adopted. Mr. Clerk, the Health and Human Services Committee report.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wesely would offer a report on behalf of the Health and Human Services Committee regarding the appointments of Arthur Weaver, Marianna Vargas, Sarah Crawford, and Jack Hallstrom.

PRESIDENT: Senator Wesely, please.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. President, members. The Health and Human Services Committee did have a hearing regarding the