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confirmation report as offered by the Health Committee.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The report is adopted.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Smith, who is Chair of General Affairs offers a report found on page 2668 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Madam President and members of the body. The General Affairs Committee recently conducted a confirmation hearing for reappointment to the Nebraska Arts Council for Helen Hayes, and a new appointment to the State Electrical Board for Sterling "Sam" Johnson. The committee found both of these individuals to be well qualified and knowledgeable in their roles as appointees to their respective organizations. A little bit about both of them, Helen Hayes is presently serving on the Arts Council. This will be her second term. She has a background in volunteerism and is a member of the Lied Center Committee, has worked with the Lincoln Community Playhouse, and she was instrumental in bringing theater to Kearney some years ago. She is very enthusiastic about the Nebraska Arts Council. Sam Johnson is a new member that would be appointed to the State Electrical Board and he owns and operates Johnson Electrical Co. in Columbus, Nebraska, and he has a long history of working in the electrical field, and his credentials showed him to us to be well qualified. The members of the General Affairs Committee recommend these two appointments be confirmed by the body and we ask for your approval of this report. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Robak.

SENATOR ROBAK: I support Sam Johnson for his appointment today. He is also a constituent of mine and he has done a fine job. He is a great businessman, a fine person, he will do a good job in his new appointment. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Robak. Does anyone else wish to speak to this confirmation report? Seeing none, we will now vote on the confirmation report. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of the