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continued professionalization of their job and of what they do. I would ask for your support for advancement.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Will. Senator Labedz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: As cosponsor, Madam Chair, I also rise in support of the advancement of LB 473. I just recently did a major remodeling of my home and I was surprised when the electricians came in and started installing certain type plugs and they said that the new inspectors now demand that any type of alterations or remodeling that are done electrically, a certain type plug for safety reasons had to be put in and I think continuing education is one of the reasons that I believe that electricians should have that even though they only take the test once, they have to renew their license every two years so it is very important that they do have continuing education. So I urge the advancement of LB 473. I think it's very important for safety reasons if not anything else because of the changing technicalities that we have, technologies that we have in construction and remodeling especially older homes. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Labedz. Does anyone else wish to speak to the bill? Seeing none, do you have closing, Senator Peterson? Closing is waived. We will now vote on the motion to advance LB 473. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 1 nay, Madam President, on the advancement of 473.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LB 473 is advanced. We'll pass over LB 436 and LE 440. Proceed with LB 272.

CLERK: Madam President, 272 was a bill introduced by Senator Coordsen. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 15, referred to the Banking Committee, advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Banking, Commerce, and Insurance Committee.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Conway.

SENATOR CONWAY: Thank you, Madam President and members, Senator Coordsen brought LB 272 to the committee last year with his primary intention, I think, of bringing more accountability to