

maintain the old language that they, in addition to the registration number, shall have the designation farm and the words not for hire. In other words, let's just keep this to a personalized plate debate and not to a debate on farm truck licenses and all...everything that goes around...goes with that entirely. It's just to retain the old law on everything that does not apply to personalized plates.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Is there any further discussion on the motion to return to Select File? Seeing none, Senator Beutler to close. Closing is waived. The question before the body is the motion to return LB 696 to Select File. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Please...please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 10 ayes, 18 nays on the motion to return, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 696 does not return to Select File. As it is past nine-thirty, we now turn to confirmation reports, Item 6 on your agenda.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Madam President, the first confirmation report is from Judiciary Committee relating to the State Parole Board.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Hudkins to open on the confirmation report.

SENATOR HUDKINS: Thank you, Madam President, and members of the body. On May 16th the confirmation hearing was held for James Pearson from Lincoln who is on the Nebraska State Patrol. He has served with distinction for that body for many years and he has been appointed by Governor Nelson to the Board of Parole. The nomination was voted on by the committee and with a favorable vote, and I would urge the entire body's positive vote for Mr. Pearson's confirmation to the Nebraska Board of Parole. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam President, appointments and nominations usually go through the Legislature without any comment, let alone any controversy. If you look on page 2253 of the Journal, you will see that I'm the only one on the Judiciary Committee who voted against confirmation. I told the committee members I