

assignment statutes are now applied to managed care as to the regular Medicaid coverage. We also talk about some unconstitutional statutes that are repealed and obsolete statutes that are no longer valid. We also have, in LB 961, the other element in this bill. We deal with health clinics and what...this is essentially a deregulation bill. The Department of Health looked at regulation of health clinics and found that there was no reason to be inspecting those that provided routine health screening, health education and immunizations. It maintains the oversight in other areas, in other health clinics, but does not any longer require the facilities to be inspected that provide, again, routine health screening, health education or immunizations. They have not been found to be any problem. They're asking that they not be required to inspect them any longer. With that, I'd ask for adop... Oh, and there's one other element to it. Senator Cudaback had brought to the attention of the committee that a bill we passed last year on electrology required that individuals be educated to practice, but that they couldn't be educated outside of the state of Nebraska. Unfortunately, none of them can be educated inside of the state of Nebraska. (Laugh) All the schools are outside the state of Nebraska. So we ended up with a situation where nobody could actually be allowed to do that, so we are correcting that problem. With that, I'd ask for adoption of the committee amendments.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Okay. The question before the body is the adoption of the committee amendments. I see no lights. Senator Wesely waives closing. The question is, shall the committee amendments to LB 1155 be adopted? All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of committee amendments.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Committee amendments are adopted. Mr. Clerk, further items on the bill.

CLERK: Senator Schellpeper, Hillman, Wickersham, and Dierks would move to amend. (AM3387 is referred to on page 1041 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Schellpeper.